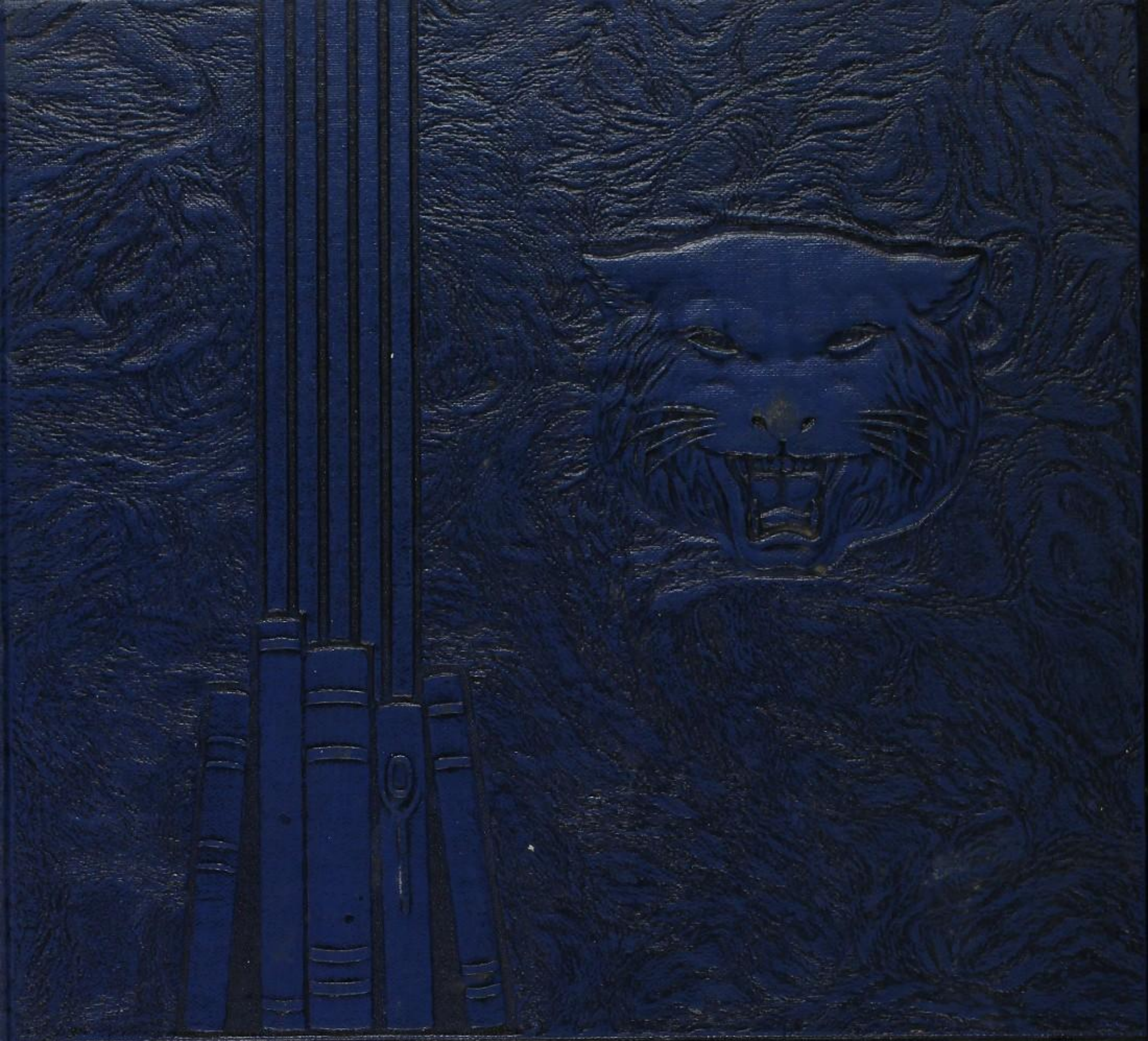


# TIGER TALES

1951

"Lots of luck in your college career, and for all the help you've given me in school. Thanks for the great accompanying you did.

Al Kuel

Dear Marcie,
The best of luck in everything it certainly has been fun
going to school with you. Keep
up this good work when you
go to college.

Love
Carol

Best of Luck, Marcie.
Geraldine Haase

Marciel Fink

Good Luck
to a swell girl
(Ex) P.S. I wish that I had graduated with you

Lots of luck in the future.
Pat Dunphy

Lots of luck
in your next
Career
David Greenwalt

Best of luck to a swell girl
Gladys

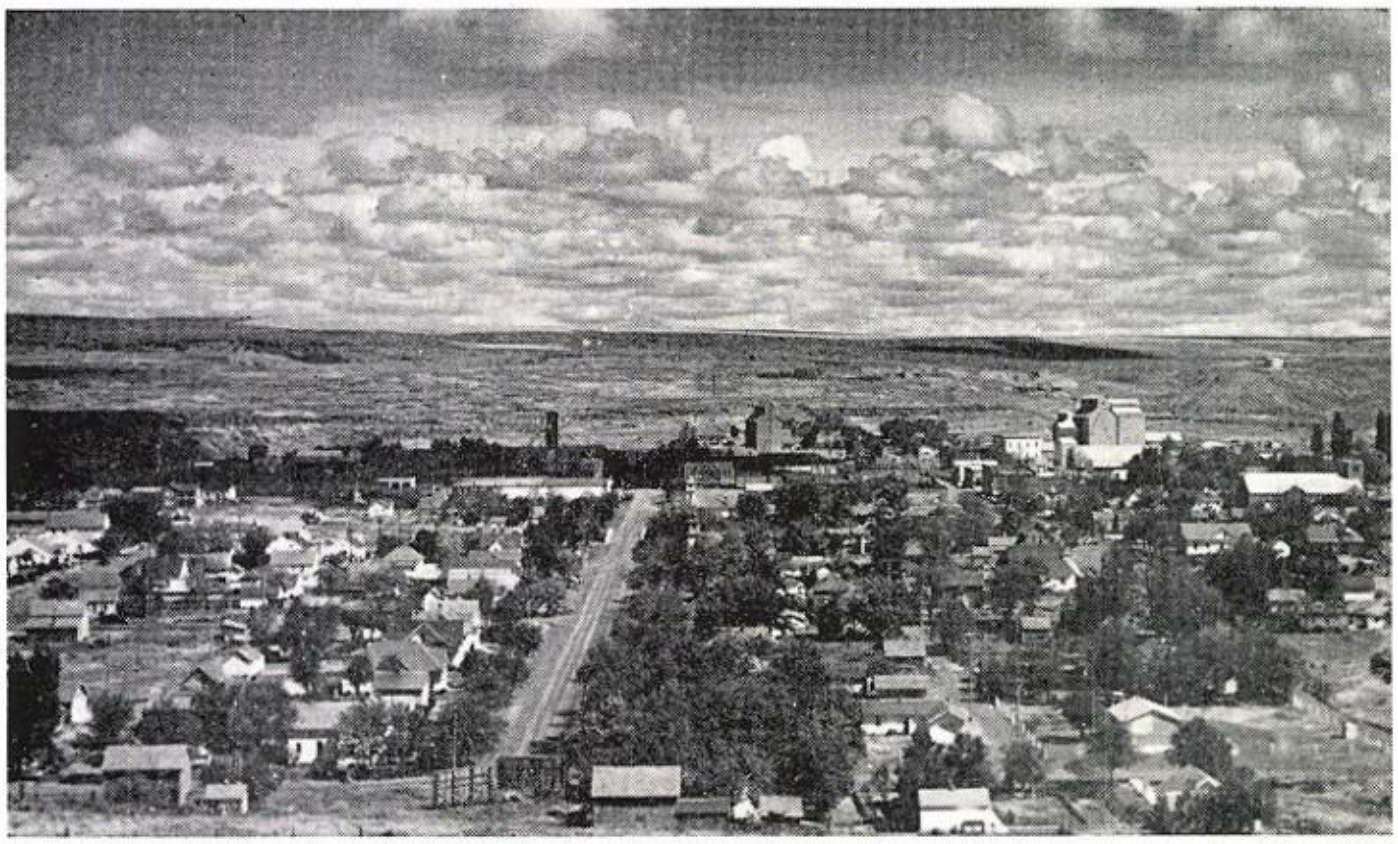
Best of Luck
Ed Schoonover

Good Luck
and Heaven
Loving to go backed
with you
Jo Wynne
Roberta Wynn

Dearest Marcie
Lots of luck.
To the best friend
That ever helped me.
Sincerely
Jennifer
I'll miss you lots -

Best of luck to a
most wonderful
friend and person
Joan.

Marcel: Thank you for the opportunity to
thank you for being such a good friend
to Ilya. You always will never
be forgotten. Thank you for the happy
days we had in Odessa. I will be
in touch. Stay well and remember
I'll always remember you.
Love
Inga
Stefa
Ekaterina
and
Pyotr



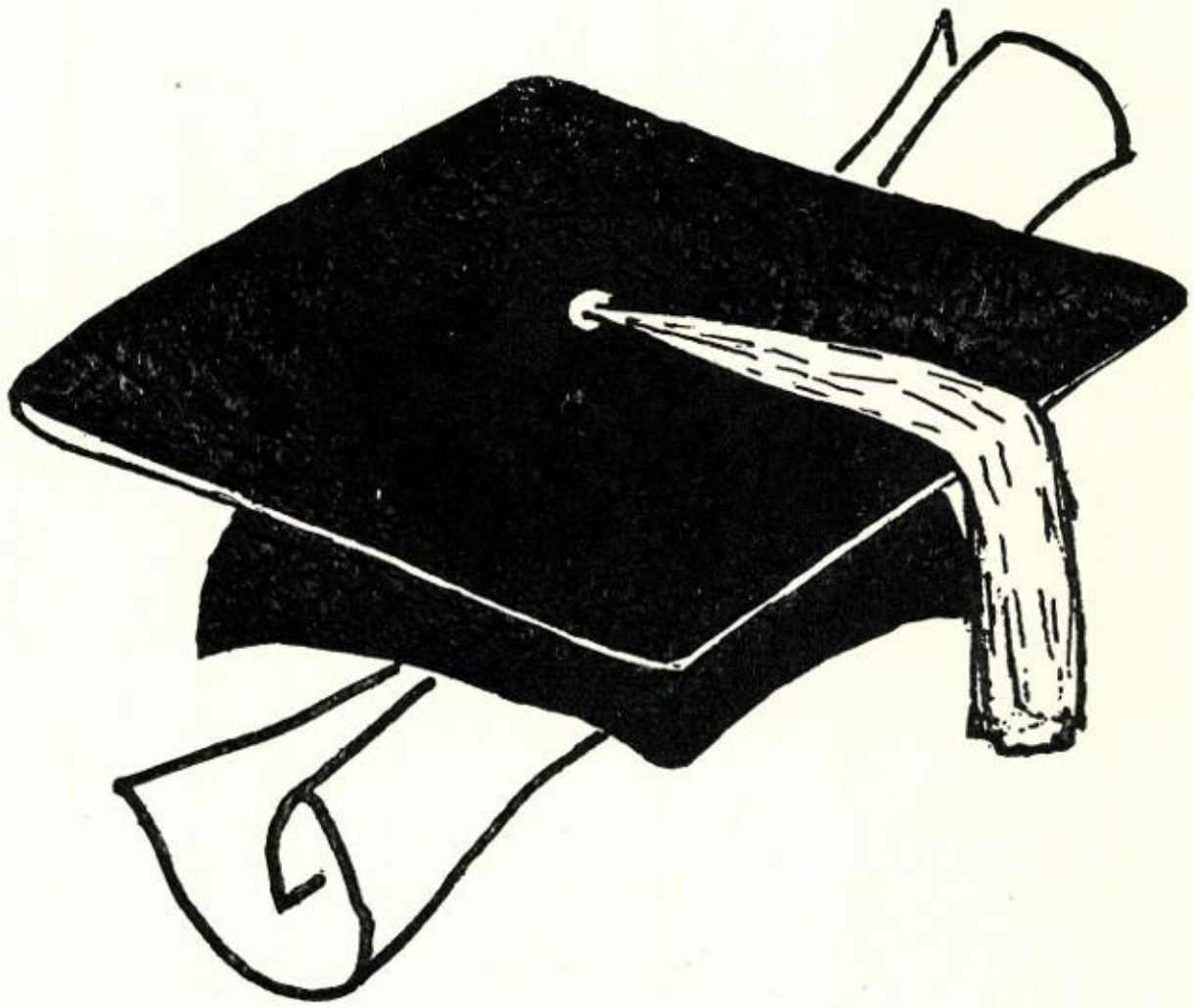
## DEDICATION

We, the students of Odessa High School, in grateful appreciation for the educational facilities that have been afforded us, wish to dedicate this annual of 1951 to you —the Community of Odessa. May the aspirations of your fine example remain with us, in the hopes that we will be able to carry on the traditions of the community in the future.

Dear Nancie!

I hope you have a good summer and I wish you all the luck in the world. You are a swell friend and I'm a wonderful gal. Ha Ha

Love Nite,
Joanne
Senior to be''



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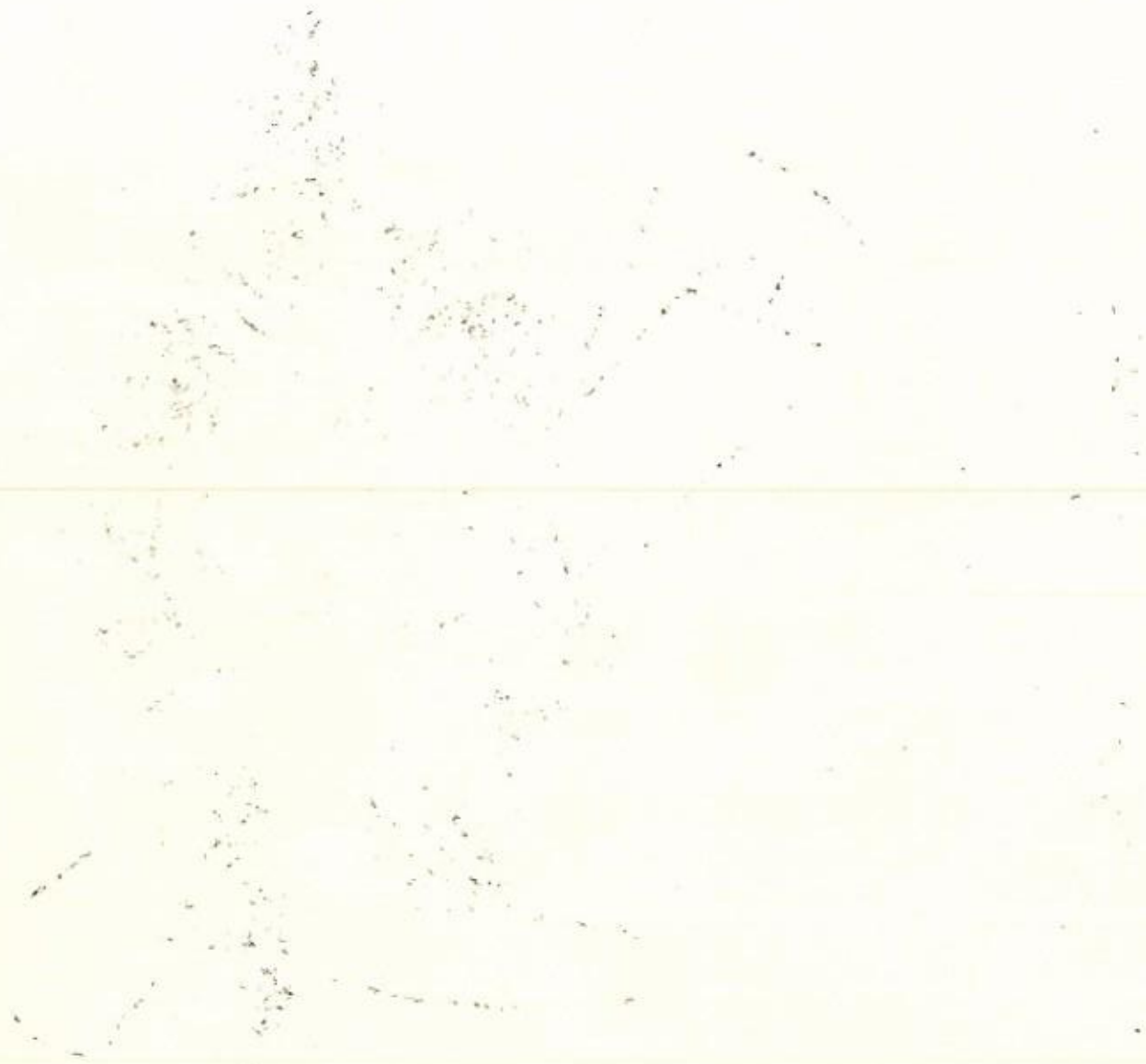

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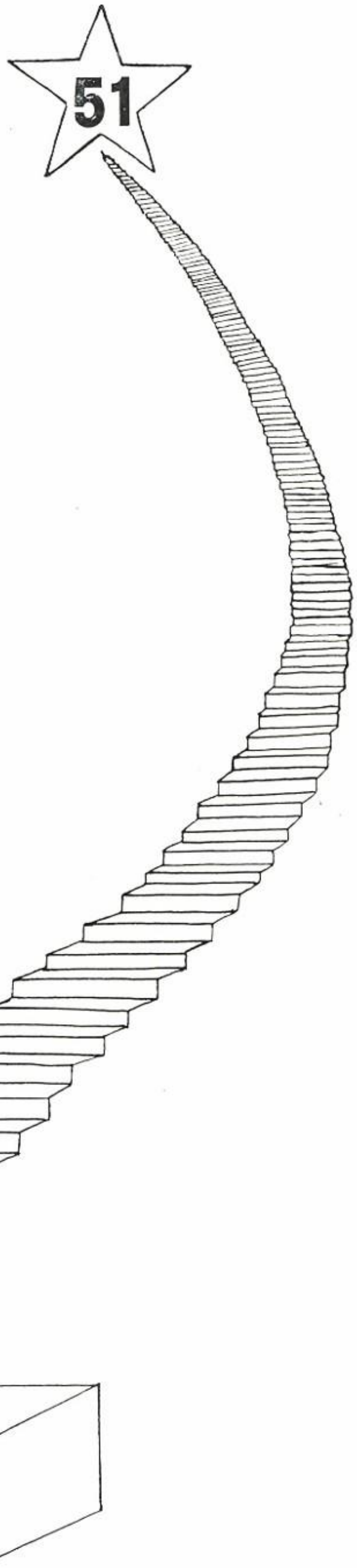



## MOTTO:

Where you stand is not so important, it is in what direction your are moving that counts.

## COLORS

Blue and White

## FLOWER

For-Get-Me-Not

Good luck To a swell Fwend Charlie S.

**CHARLES SCHOONOVER**
Audio Visual Aid Staff 2, 3; Junior Class Flay 3; Football 3; Baseball 4; Letter O Club 4.

**MARCIEL FINK**
Football Princess 1; Rodeo Princess 1; Yell Princess 1, 2; Social Chairman G. A. A. 1; Girls Club Treasurer 1st sem. 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; News Reporter 1st sem. 1; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Office Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 1; Secretary Band 1, 2, 3; Dance Band 2, 3; Treasurer Band 1, 2, 3; Vice President G. A. A. 2, 1st sem. 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Yell Queen 3, 4; Vice President Girls Club 3; Princess OHS 3; Junior Class Flay 3; All High Flay 3; President Band 1st sem. 4; President Girls Club 4; President F. H. A. 4; Librarian 4; Pep Club 4; Annual Editor 4.

**MARY ANN SCHMIDT**
Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Trumpet Trio 1, 4; German Band 2, 3; Trumpet Quartet 2; Class Treasurer 2nd sem. 2; Librarian 2; News Reporter 2; Trumpet Duet 3, 4; Assistant Treasurer Student Body Music Award Band 3; Brass Club 4; Social Chairman Pep Club 4; President Glee Club 2nd sem. 4.

Best of luck in all that you do!! Hope you have fun in college next year!! Success you will succeed in whatever you do & it's been swell to have you as a classmate & friends!! Love, Coleen

**LESLIE STEHR**
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Letter O Club 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 1st sem. 2; Audio Visual Aids 2; Class Representative 2nd sem. 3; Boys Chorus, Double Sextette & Quartet 3; Vice President Letter O Club 4; Secretary A. S. B. 1st sem. 4.

**FRANKLIN KOTH**
Vice President 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Letter O Club 2, 3, 4; Audio Visual Aid 2; Class Representative 2nd sem. 2; Treasurer Letter O Club 3; Class Vice President 1st sem. 3; 4; Vice President A. S. B. 2nd sem. 3; Junior Class Play 3; Boys Chorus & Double Sextet 3; President Letter O Club 4.

**RITA UHRICH**
Glee 1, 3, 4; Band 1; Girls Social Chairman 1, 2; G. A. A. 1, 2; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 2; News Writer G. A. A. 2; Student Body Treasurer 4.

Rita Uhrich

**COLEEN LUITEN**
Glee Club 1st sem. 1; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3; Class Treasurer 2nd sem. 1; Tennis 1, 2, 3; Audio Visual Aid 1; Assistant Secretary A. S. B. 2; Princess OHS 2; Office Staff 3, 4; Class Representative 2nd sem. 3; Prompter Jr. Class Play 3; Junior Class Social Chairman Girls Club 1st sem. 3; Girls Club Social Chairman 4; A. S. B. Secretary 2nd sem. 4; Annual Staff 4.

**RICHARD VOISE**
Track 1, 2; Class Treasurer 1st sem. 1; Audio Visual Aids 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Letter O Club 3, 4; Manager Junior Class Play 3; Class Representative 1st sem. 4; Business Manager 2nd sem. 4; Office Staff 1st sem 4; Librarian 4.

**MAURICE FINK**
Class President 1; 1st sem 2; Letter O Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2; Audio Visual Aids 2; Vice President Class 2nd sem. 2; Letter O club Representative 2; Baseball 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Vice President Band 2; Boys Chorus & Double Sextette 3; All High Play 3; Junior Class Play 3; Letter O Club President 3; Toastmaster Junior-Senior Prom 3; Student Body President 1st Sem. 3; 1st & 2nd sem. 4.

**MARGORIE GUST**
Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2; 1st sem. 3; Junior Class Play 3; Social Chairman Girls Club 3; Sextet 3; Class Secretary 4; Librarian 4.

**MELVIN CARLSON**
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter O Club 2, 3, 4; Track Manager 2, 3.

**WAYNE KING**
Football Manager 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Representative 2nd sem. 1; 2nd sem. 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter O Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Assistant Business Manager A. S. B. 1st sem. 2; Class President 2nd sem, 2; Band President 1st sem. 2; 3; 2nd sem. 4; Vice President Band 2nd sem. 2; Audio Visual Aids 2; A. S. B. Treasurer 1st sem. 3; A. S. B. Business Manager 2nd sem. 3; Boys Chorus, Double Sextet & Quartet 3; Letter O Club Secretary 4; Pep Band 4.

**PHYLLIS HUFF**
Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 2nd sem. 1; Tennis 2, 3; Class Secretary 2, 1st sem. 3; Assistant Yell Leader 3, 4; Girls Club Secretary 3; Girls Club Vice President 1st sem. 3; Student Director Junior Class Play 3; Student Director All High Play 3; F. H. A. 4.

**BYRA WILLIAMS**
Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Audio Visual Aids 1, 2; Assistant Secretary A. S. B. 1st sem. 1, 3; Vice President Glee Club 2nd sem. 3; Class Secretary 2nd sem. 3; Jr. Class Play 3; Accompanist Girls Glee Club 3; Accompanist Boys Glee Club 3; News Editor 4; Annual Staff 4.

**SYLVIA BARTALAMAY**
Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 3, 1st sem. 1; Audio Visual Aids 2; All High Play 3; Annual Staff 4.

**SUE PHILLIPS**
Assistant Business Manager 2nd sem. 1, 2,; Class Vice President 1st sem. 1; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1st sem. 1; Audio Visual Aids 1; Class Secretary 2nd Sem. 1; 1st sem. 2; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Princess OHS 1; Annual Staff 1, 2, 3, assistant editor; Secretary G. A.-A.. 2nd sem. 2; 1st sem. 3; Assistant Secretary A. S. B. 1st sem. 2; Secretary A. S. B. 1st and 2nd sem. 3; Rodeo Princess 2; Honor Society 2, 3; President G. A. A. 2nd sem. 3; Girls Club Treasurer 1st and 2nd sem. 3; Jr. Class Play 3; Princess Odessa 3; Pep Club 4; Debate Team 4; President Pep Club 4.

Best of Luck to a swell kid and Classmate. Take it easy in the future Best wishes

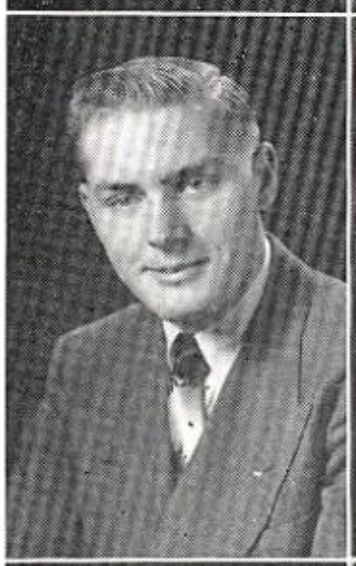


Jack Gasser

**MARILYN SALO**
News Reporter 2nd sem. 1; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; G. A. A. 1, 2; Girls Social Chairman 2nd sem. 1; Honor Society 1, 2, 3; Vice President Class 1st sem. 2; Annual Staff 2, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. Sports Manager 2; Assistant Treasurer A. S. B. 2; Girls Club News Reporter 2; Class President 3; 4; Queen OHS 3; Jr. Class Play 3; Office Staff 1st sem. 4. Debate Team 4.

**JACK GASSER**
Football 1, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3. 4; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Boys Glee Club 3; Letter O Club 4.

Good luck to a good classmate Wayne! Sievekropp



**WAYNE SIEVERKROPP**
Junior Class Play 3.

Susan Harper

**SUSAN HARPER**
A. V. A. 4; F. H. A. 4; Girls Club 4; A. V. A. Editor 4.

**JACQUELYN GRENING**
Glee Club 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. 1, 2, 1st sem. 3; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. Reporter 2; Jr. Class Play 3; Librarian 4.

Best of luck in college & the years ahead. I hope we can be as close as we are now. Jackie

**LAMAR HOMBERG**
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter O Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Junior Class Play 3; Boys Glee Club & Double Sextet 3; Inspirational Award 4.

Donald Sieverkropp

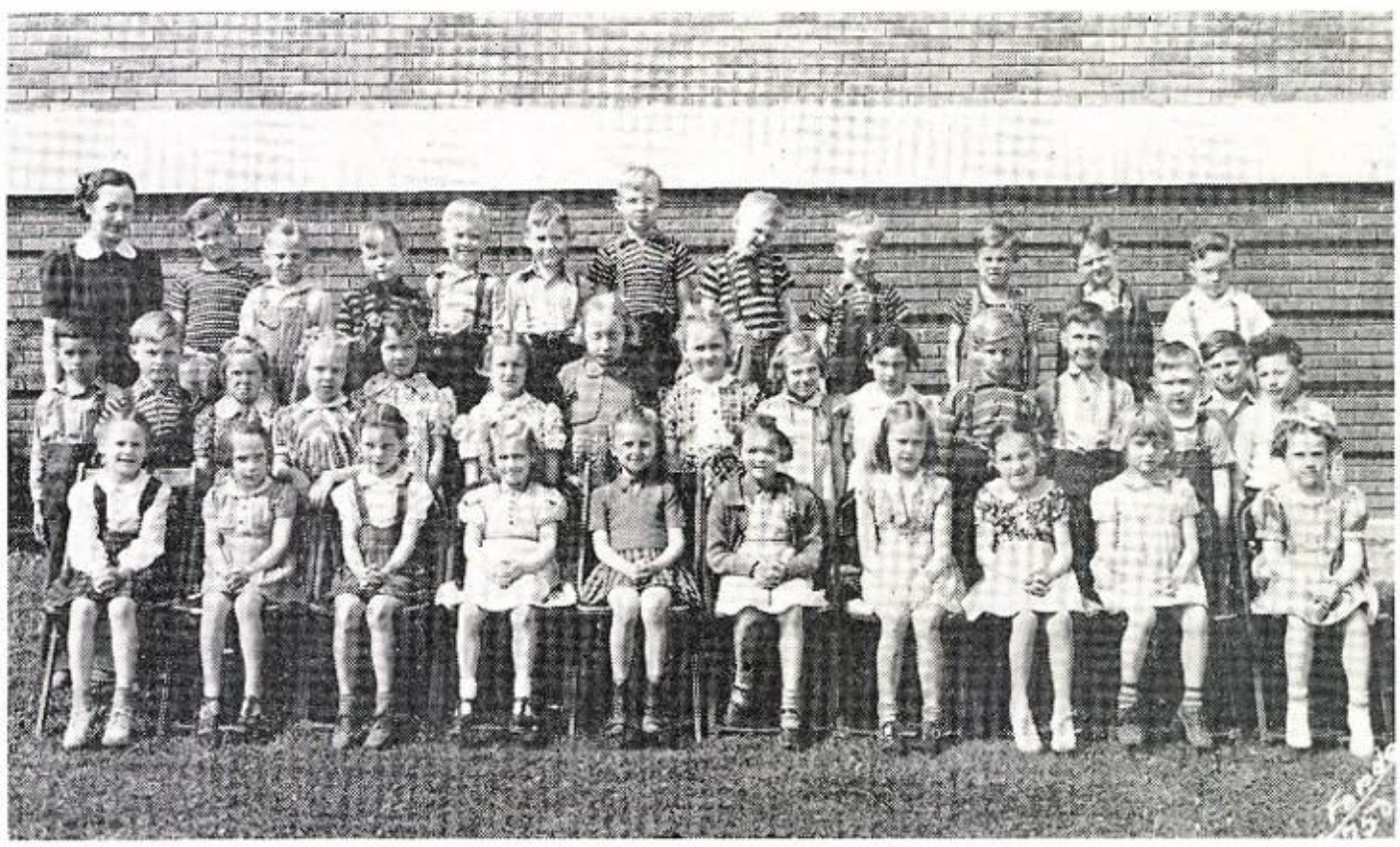
Good luck Marcie!

**DONALD SIEVERKROPP**
Football 1, 2; Letter O Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 3; Boxing 2, 3; Junior Class Play 3.

**DORIS WACKER**
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; President Glee Club 3; 1st sem. 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice President Band 2nd sem. 3; 1st sem. 4; Band Treasurer 2nd sem. 4; Dance Band 2, 4; Pep Band 3, 4; Sextet 3, 4; Trio 4; Tripple Trio 4; Girls Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls Club Social Chairman 1st sem. 2; Girls Club Reporter 1st sem. 4; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; G. A. A. Sports Manager 2nd sem. 2; 1st sem 3; Secretary G. A. A. 2nd sem. 3; Class Secretary 1st sem. 1; Class News Reporter 2; Sax Quartet 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 1st & 2nd sem. 3; 1st & 2nd sem 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Junior Class Play 3; All High Play 3; National Music Award Glee Club 3; F. H. A. 4; F. H. A. Treasurer 4; Office Staff 4; Library Staff 4; Pep Club 4; Pep Club Secretary 4.

**MARVIN ILTZ**
Audio Visual Aid Staff 2, 3, 4.

WILLIAM CARBOUGH
Class Advisor



**FIRST GRADE**

Left to Right, top row: Miss Denton, Harley Frank, Myron Walter, Leslie Stehr, Maurice Fink, Billy Hille, Lamar Homberg, Franklin Koth, Wayne King, Bob Wolsburn, Weldon Widmer, Vernon Smith. Second row: Wayne Delzer, Albert King, Gloria Becker, B. G. Williams, Wanda Uhrich, Maxine Horak, Doris Wacker, Marciel Fink, Mary Ann Schmidt, Bernice Milhorn, Eugene Schnieder, Art Odell, Dale Rott, Marvin Iltz, Walter Greenwalt. Third row: Lila Kuest, Marion Groh, Sue Phillips, Mary Ann Totusek, Marilyn Salo, Bonnie Delzer, Rita Uhrich, Sylvia Bartalamay, Jo Ann Walter, Jackie Grening.

## SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

The first eight grades were very exciting years to us, everyone was more excited when they were ready to enter the Odessa High School.

Thirty-three freshmen entered the great portals of learning of the Odessa High School on September 4, 1947. Initiation was held by the honorable seniors of '48. A dance followed that evening in honor of the freshmen. The first freshman dance was held on November 7, in the high school gym. Max and his three jives were introduced. There was a grand turnout and everyone had fun. The thirty-three freshmen to start out in high school were: Marvin Iltz, Harley Frank, Franklin Koth, Don Sieverkropp, Wayne Sieverkropp, Lamar Homberg, Walter Meske, Bill Emery, Wayne King, Virgil Krell, Walter Greenwalt, Don Wolf, Mary Ann Totusek, Sylvia Bartalamay, Lila Kuest, B. G. Williams, Rita Uhrich, Marciel Fink, Mary Ann Schmidt, Marilyn Salo, Jackie Grening, Melvin Carlson, Leslie Stehr, Marjorie Gust, Art Odell, Doris Wacker, Sue Phillips, Maurice Fink, Richard Voise, Coleen Luiten, Jack Gasser. Mr. Leroy Hook was our class advisor. Our first semester class officers were: President, Maurice Fink; Vice President, Sue Phillips; Secretary, Doris Wacker; Treasurer, Richard Voise; Representative, Art Odell; News Reporter, Marciel Fink. Second semester officers were: President, Maurice Fink; Treasurer, Coleen Luiten; Representative, Wayne King; News Reporter, Marilyn Salo.

When school started August 26, 1948, there were thirty-six sophomores. Max Totusek and Don Hemmerling left us and Phyllis Huff, Eva Lelone, Kenny Allum, Charles Schoonover, and Clarence Giese joined us. Mr. Carbough was our class advisor.

The sophomore class officers for the first semester were as follows: President, Maurice Fink; Vice President, Marilyn Salo; Secretary, Sue Phillips; Treasurer, Rita Uhrich; Representative, Clarence Giese. For our class project we bought two sets of indoor lights for the Christmas tree and three sets of lights for the outdoor tree. We also contributed ten dollars for stage scenery. We gave the annual Christmas Dance this year. At one end of the library was a life-size reindeer and sleigh, it was illuminated by spotlights. Everyone had brought a small gift to the dance and just before intermission the crowd was handed out gifts by Santa Claus.

Officers for the second semester were as follows: President, Wayne King; Vice President, Maurice Fink; Secretary, Phyllis Huff; Treasurer, Mary Ann Schmidt; and representative, Franklin Koth. We had several successful ice-skating parties and a coasting party. We gave a dance the last part of the second semester and the gym was cleverly decorated. A good time was had by everyone. At the end of our sophomore year everyone of us was looking forward to becoming juniors.

We came back to school August 30, 1949, to start our very interesting junior year. There were thirty-one of us. During this year we lost Kenny Allum, Mary Ann Totusek, Eva Lelone, Clarence Giese, Lila Kuest, and Walter Greenwalt. We began our junior year by winning first prize with our float. Next we chose our officers for the first semester. They were as follows: President, Marilyn Salo; Vice President, Franklin Koth; Secretary, Phyllis Huff; Treasurer, Doris Wacker; and Representative, Leslie Stehr. We started raising money for our Prom by selling hot dogs, coffee, pop, and peanuts at the football games. Our next activity was our junior class play given November 18. This

## SENIOR CLASS HISTORY [Continued]

was a three act mystery comedy. The name of it was "The Foolproof Murder", written by Walter Blake. As soon as basketball season started we started selling again. This time we sold hot dogs, pop, candy, and peanuts. Our second semester officers were as follows: President, Marilyn Salo; Vice President, Don Wolf; Secretary, B. G. Williams; Treasurer, Doris Wacker; and Representative, Coleen Luiten.

Our final activity was our junior-senior banquet which was given May 5. Our theme was "Aloha" and the music was furnished by the "Stardusters" of Cheney. The gym was beautifully decorated with Hawaiian scenes. There was a good turnout and everyone had a good time. The food was prepared by our mothers and served by the sophomore girls. The welcome speech was made by the junior class president, Marilyn Salo. A return speech was given by senior president Merle Janke. The flag salute was led by Gene Kuest and the flag was held by Neal Phillips. Dinner music was furnished by Lorene Starkel. Entertainment was furnished by Lee Schorzman and Yvonne Hopp. We all enjoyed a wonderful junior year.

On September 11, 1950, twenty-four Seniors came back to these great portals of learning for the last time. We were happy to welcome Susan Harper to our class a few weeks after school started, but we were sad to find out that the following were no longer with us: Don Wolf, Harley Frank, Art Odell, and Virgil Krell. Our first activity of the year was initiation. This was held on October 6. Our initiation dance was not held until October 26.

This was the first dance of the year and many of the students attended. We electea our officers for the first semester and they were: President, Marilyn Salo; Vice President, Franklin Koth; Secretary, Margie Gust; Treasurer, Doris Wacker; and Representative, Richard Voise. Mr. Carbaugh was our class advisor. For our class project we decided to help pay for the new trophy case. Our next activity was to pick the studio for our graduation pictures. We chose Burchett's. Second semester officers were: President, Marilyn Salo; Vice President, Frankie Koth; Secretary, Margie Gust; Treasurer, Doris Wacker; and Representative, Wayne King. On March 23, the seniors gave their last dance. This was a sport dance. For our sneak we decided to go to ..... and to leave on ..... Next thing of interest for us was the Prom. This was held on May 4, and the gym was beautifully decorated by the juniors.

The following students have been together for twelve years: Sue Phillips, Marilyn Salo, Jackie Grening, Rita Uhrich, Mary Ann Schmidt, Doris Wacker, Marciel and Maurice Fink, Wayne King, Leslie Stehr, Frankie Koth, Lamar Homberg, Marvin Iltz, Sylvia Bartalamay, and B. G. Williams.

Now it is time for our most important activities, Baccalaureate, Class Night, and Commencement. Our Baccalaureate services were held on Sunday night May 27, Class Night, Monday, May 28, and Commencement on Tuesday night May 29.

Now we are leaving dear old O. H. S. and we are surely all going to miss it.

## CLASS WILL

**Sylvia Bartalamay** leaves six and one-eighth inches of her heighth to Dorothy Kremsreiter.

**Melvin Carlson** would like to leave his red hair plus the nickname "Tuffy" to Dick Knodel, just to see what the results will be.

I, **Marciel Fink,** will my money collecting ability for the annual to Elaine Nichols. Elaine, you must have a good line, be persistent, and use a little charm. To Buzzy Weber, I will my ability to get in and out of messes easily. I'm sure you can use it Buzzy.

**Maurice Fink** leaves his charming smile and friendly personality to Lorene Starkel, hoping she will put them to use.

**Jack Gasser** wills his ability to play the great lover to Dennis Quast, don't overdue it, Dennis.

**Jackie Grening** wills her driving ability to Lee Schorzman, as she feels it may aid him in later life.

**Margie Gust** wills her ability to get along with Kevie to Pat Durfey, because she knows Pat will find it useful.

I, **Susan Harper** will two feet of my height to Pete Jessett. Grow up Pete, I did.

**Lamar Homberg** only wishes there were some way he could give his two history credits to Harley Frank, as he cannot see how "George" will ever pass history any other way.

**Phyllis Huff** entrusts the care of her little brother Eddie to DeLila Janke, on the condition that she will teach him the proper things.

**Marvin Iltz** wills to Charles Keebler his ability to get to school on time. Don't feel bad, Charlie because sometimes Marvin didn't even get there at all.

**Wayne King** wills his smooth saxaphone playing and his ambition to lead a dance band to Richard Miller in the hopes that "Beak" will be inspired toward greater things.

**Franklin Koth** would like to will his blond wave that all the girls are drooling over to Gary Mills, and hopes it will produce results.

**Coleen Luiten** wills her talent for homemaking to Mickey Markuson, and hopes he makes good use of it.

**Sue Phillips** leaves to Bonnie Delzer her speed on the tennis court, with this warning: "Never take both feet off the ground at the same time, Bonnie—I've tried it."

**Marilyn Salo** wills her efficiency in writing letters to Buzzy Weber. Need more be said?

I, **Mary Ann Smith,** cannot will a thing. I need it all, plus more.

**Charlie Schoonover** leaves to Paul Hopp his entire collection of muscles.

**Don Sieverkropp** wills his skill in writing book reports to Larry Reisenauer. For further information see Don.

**Wayne Sieverkropp** leaves his ability to keep quiet in class to Ronnie Stehr, though he doesn't think it will do much good.

**Leslie Stehr** wills his talent for making speeches in speech class on his favorite topic "Girls" to Douglas Ottestad. Be careful, Doug, and don't say anything that Stehr wouldn't say.

## CLASS WILL [Continued]

I, **Rita Uhrich,** bequeath my ability to keep a man as long as I have to Elaine Nichols. It can be done Elaine!

**Richard Voise** wills his ways with Mrs. Shelby to Neal Phillips and Myron Walter. See Richard for further instructions boys.

I, **Doris Wacker,** bequeath fifty pounds of my weight and my giggly ways to Ann. Take anything else you want, Ann. I have plenty of it.

**B. G. Williams** would like to will her artistic handwriting and graceful stride to her friend Kevie Kramer, who she feels could use them both.

**Freshmen:** The promise of new and better things, and the leadership, character, and ability with which to face them.

**Sophomores:** Many tattered and ragged U. S. History books, which we feel is more than enough to keep you busy.

**Juniors:** A lot of kindness, patience, and unselfishness, which we believe is all you need to keep you going on to the title of "Noble Seniors."

**To The Entire Student Body:** We will all you fortunate individuals our charming good looks, gracious smiles, scholastic ability, pleasant attitudes, musical talent, efficiency in leadership, athletic skill, strong characters, etc.; plus our sincere appreciation of all the help we have had and our best wishes for the years to come.

## PROPHECY

Sue Phillips, Queenie of the Can Can, has just returned from Paris where she was starring in the new picture, "Don't Take My Ron". She was accompanied by her manager, Ronald Schafer. Upon returning she took time to look up her old classmates. As she walked down the street she stopped in at the insurance office and found that:

Miss Coleen Luiten has just taken over Clarence Hemmerling's Insurance Business. She will be glad to advise you in cases of ingrown toe nails, lice, baldness, slivers or extreme cases of insanity. Coleen then informed her on the latest gossip of her old classmates.

Marilyn Salo was just removed from her first teaching position at the Odessa Kindergarten for teaching the children to Charleston.

Hop a long Schmidt, the former Mary Ann Schmidt, formerly known as Smitty Schmidt and called Smitty for short, is now running the Smitty Schmidt Ranch.

Jackie Grening has just invented a modern atomic lipstick. She has achieved success with her new slogan, "Atom Boys!"

Tune in KSEM every Saturday at 1:00 to hear Margie Gust, the new Sweetheart of Warden.

## PHOPHECY [Continued]

Sylvia Bartalamay, head German teacher at the Odessa Schools, begins all her classes with this question, "Wo ist meinen Mann?"; which translated means, "Where is Curtis?"

We see P. E. instructor Miss B. G. Williams coaching the Odessa Tiger basketball team. We don't know how, but she is really producing results.

Mrs. Don Weishaar, the former Phyllis Huff, is now herding her cows and kids down the street in the annual Odessa Parade.

Miss Susan Harper is now trying to sell sand boxes for the little children in the Arabian Desert.

Charlie Schoonover has just defeated Pete Jessett for the Boxing Championship of the Columbia Basin. When asked for a statement for the press, Charlie had only this to say, "Ah Shucks! It weren't nutten!"

The millionaire, Wayne Sieverkropp, has just sold his 999,000 book of the wild west, entitled: "Who Put the Glue in my Saddle?"

The Bohemian Brewing Co. is searching for a new Sampler. Their last one, Don Sieverkropp, was fired for overdoing his job.

The "Lamona Flash", alias Tuffy Carlson, has just opened up a new gambling casino in the Artic Circle. He doesn't seem to mind the cold at all. Couldn't have anything to do with those Eskimo gals, could it Tuffy? Hmmmm?

Franklin Koth new manager of Michaelsens is now starting his two sons out as broom boys, like father like son.

The new head secretary of the Carter Liver Pills Co. Marciel Fink, has announced her engagement to Mr. Carter. They are planning to get married next month and live in Liver Pool where they plan to raise seven little pills.

Wayne King has just been named one of the top band leaders of the nation. He owes his success to his latest hit tune, "Alfalfa Rag."

Maurice Fink is now planning to combine fatherhood with basketball coaching. The reason: He has just become the proud father of quintuplets [all boys].

The Lone Ranger is no longer alone, for now he has Marvin Iltz to ride with him. To the beat of thundering hoofs we hear a few changes made in the old familiar call, now it is, "Hi Ho Soda Cracker".

Monsiuer Leslie' Stehr, successful woman's clothing designer, has startled the nation with his new design, the "Drape Shape". Mr. Jantz always said he had a good head for figures.

Jack Gasser has combined his two famous talents in the publication of his new book, "The History of Baseball".

Don't miss Richard Voise's new Sagebrush Drivin Theater, just 9 miles west of Odessa. Richard's wife, the former Rita Uhrich is in full charge of the nursery.

Miss Doreeza Vackarea is now competing with Bonnie' Delzer' for the title role of "My Heart Cries for You", to open next month at the Crab Creek Opera House.

Lamar Homberg, the famous hot rod driving instructor, will soon replace Mr. Albright. When Mr. Albright was asked why he was retiring he had this to say, "I just can't keep up with these new Fords but I'm sure I can depend on Lamar to keep up with them".

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## "TWELVE YEAR STUDENTS"

The above students began their education in the Odessa Grade School in the glorious year of 1939 with other students. These fifteen students have continued all twelve years of their schooling in Odessa up to our present year, 1951. Now they have received diplomas for twelve long, hard years of work.

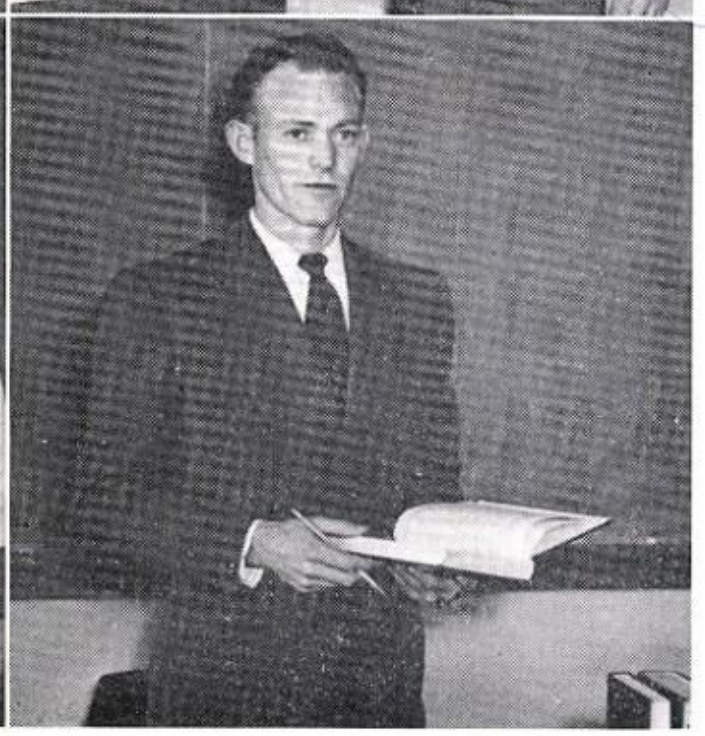
Now our school will be left behind us but the memories of the many pleasures and good times we had along with work, will never be forgotten.

To the teachers, classmates, students, and parents, we would like to thank you for all of the things you have helped us to achieve in the past twelve years and are sorry they have to be left behind us.

Harley Mooers

Pauline Shelby

Nola Sloan

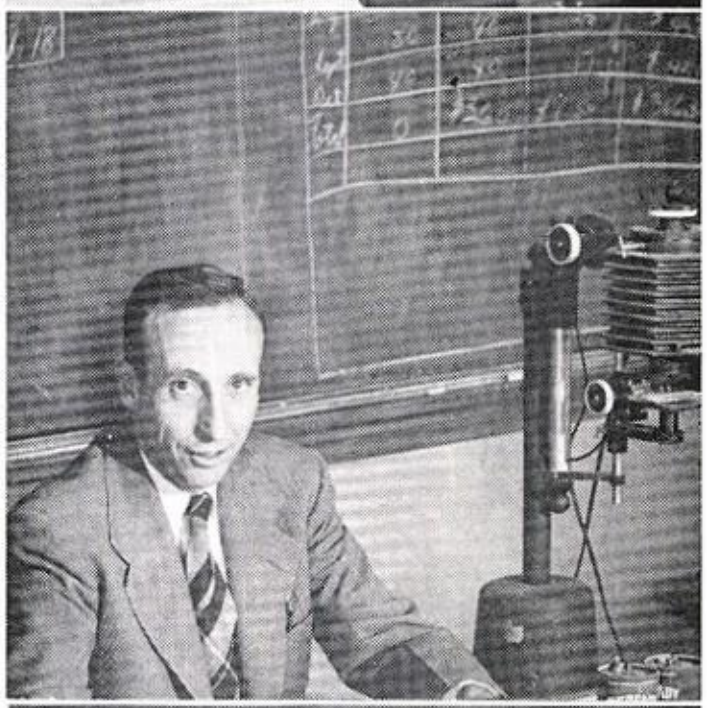


Wm. S. Cartwright

HARLEY N. MOOERS—Deer Park, Washington. Attended Washington State College, Eastern and Western Washington Colleges of Education; Whitworth College, received a B.A. Degree; Metropolitan Business College in Seattle.

LLOYD STANNARD—Superintendent at Garfield, Washington. Attended Washington State College. Has B.S. and B.E. Degrees.

W. N. WEDDLE—Scottsbluff, Nebraska. Attended University of Kansas. Has a B.E. Degree.



PAULINE SHELBY—Spokane, Washington. Graduate of University of Washington. Summer school, University of Washington. Degree: B.B.A. and Life Diploma.

JOHN G. GASSER—Bottineau, North Dakota. Attended Valley City State Teachers College, received B.A. Degree; University of Idaho, University of Washington, received M.A. Degree.

ORVAL THEISEN—Erwin, South Dakota. Attended South Dakota State College; Has B.S. Degree, and Chemistry Major. Gonzaga University, Spokane, Washington.

NOLA SLOAN—Troy, Montana. Attended Oregon State College, Corvallis, Oregon. Received B.S. and M.S. Degrees. Attended Summer Schools at Oregon State College, University of Washington and University of Missouri.

WILLIAM J. CARBAUGH — Spokane, Washington. Attended University of Idaho. Has B.S. [Ed] and M.S. [Ed] Degrees.

JOHN D. GILLIS—Washtucna, Washington. Attended Washington State College. Has B.S. and B.E. Degrees.

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## ANNUAL STAFF

The Annual Staff of 1951 has had a very busy year trying to convince every business firm that they should buy an ad for our annual. We would sincerely like to thank everyone who has helped make this annual presentable. Many thanks go to the Editor who has seen to it that the jobs were done on time. Our goal this year was for the Student Body and the Faculty of O.H.S. to enjoy and long treasure this years annual for years to come.

The Senior Class was in charge of selecting the advisor, editor, and assistant editor. They are:

Advisor ..... Mr. Stannard
Editor ..... Marciel Fink
Asst. Editor ..... Sue Phillips

It was up to the Editor to choose her own staff and they are: Sports, Gene Kuest; Typist, Marilyn Salo; Activities, Coleen Luiten and Mary Ann Weber; Advertising, Sylvia Bartalamay, Mary Ann Schmidt, Maurice Fink, and Franklin Koth; Art, Byra Williams and Bud Zirkle; Snaps, Elaine Nichols; Club Reporters—Pep Club, Betty Jean Schultz; Girls Club, Paula Haug; Letter "O", Lee Schorzman; Classes—Freshman, Arlene Kissler; Sophomore, Darrell Schafer; Junior, Sumiko Mitsui, and Senior, Doris Wacker.

We would like to thank the Community for the cooperation they have given us, and we hope the Seniors next year will have as much success in making an annual as we have had.

Congratulations to the best Editor of the best annual published.
Lloyd Stannard

Left to right, top row: Eddie Huff, Marion Kiesz, Neal Phillips. Bottom row: Paula Haug, B. G. Williams, Phil Huff, Mary Ann Weber.

## NEWS STAFF

The News Staff wrote the news for the Odessa Record for there is not a school paper.

Each reporter wrote news of interest about their home room meetings and classes. Each senior was interviewed by the Editor, and any other school functions were also written.

The staff for the semesters were:

### First Semester

Editor ..... B. G. Williams
Senior Reporter ..... Phyllis Huff
Junior Reporter ..... Mary Ann Weber
Sophomore Reporter ..... Paula Haug and Eddie Huff
Freshman Reporter ..... Marian Kiesz

### Second Semester

Editor ..... B. G. Williams
Senior Reporter ..... Phyllis Huff
Junior Reporter ..... Leonard Durfey
Sophomore Reporter ..... Eddie Huff
Freshman Reporter ..... Pat Durfey

Left to right, top row: Delores Meske, Faula Haug, Lois Raugust, Richard Voise, Mr. Mooers, Principal, Lorraine Seibel, Sumiko Mitsui, Gladys Raugust. Second row: Marciel Fink, Rita Ott, Mary Ann Weber, Sue Phillips, Doris Wacker, Marilyn Salo.

## OFFICE STAFF

Our this year's office staff has increased greatly over previous years. Our first semester office staff was as follows. Marciel Fink, Doris Wacker, Marilyn Salo, Coleen Luiten, Sue Phillips, Richard Voise, Mary Ann Weber, Sumiko Mitsui, Gladys Raugust, Lorraine Seibel, Delores Meske, Rita Ott, Lois Raugust, and Paula Haug.

The second semester office staff was cut down because of tennis and other school activities. They were as follows: Marciel Fink, Doris Wacker, Elaine Nichols, Lois Raugust, Mary Ann Weber, Sumiko Mitsui, Dorothy Kremsrieter, Paula Haug.

Our office staff has been kept busy all year by filing material, typing letters, and things of this kind. This staff is made up of volunteers and they all enjoyed the work that they did. It also is very good experience for them. Mr. Mooers has been a great help in teaching this staff the fundamentals in office work.

ODESSA'S INSTRUCTION AIDS PROGRAM

Left to right, top row: Mr. Gasser, Instructor; Myron Walters, Lawrence Reisenauer, Don Sieverkropp, Gene Kuest, Jack Gasser, Eddie Huff, Cecil Schell, Second row: Charles Schoonover, Wayne Stout, Mary Ann Weber, Elaine Nichols, Marcella Schafer, Geraldine Haase, Ronald Schafer, Richard Voise. Bottom row: Marvin Iltz, Lee Schorzman.

## DEPARTMENT OF INSTRUCTIONAL AIDS

The Department of Instructional Aids has for the second year received the Certificate of Merit for participation in the Audio-Visual Demonstration Center Project.

Any public school providing room facilities, a program for more effective use of audio-visual aids to teaching, and has indicated its faith in the important place that instructional aids holds in the school's curriculum is eligible for this award.

Under the direction of Mr. Gasser, coordinator of the program, a much more effective use of audio-visual educational techniques has been the result.

Mr. Gasser's latest article on Odessa's audio-visual program appears in the February 1951 issue of the Washington Education Journal. It is entitled, "We Showed Our Citizens". The article presents an audio-visual demonstration before the Odessa Parent-Teacher Organization.

Left to right, top row: Mrs. Heimbigner, Lorraine Seibel, Richard Voise, Bonnie Delzer, Delores Meske. Bottom row: Margie Gust, Mary Ann Weber, Arlene Kissler, Marion Kiesz, Marciel Fink, Jackie Grening, Phyllis Huff.

## LIBRARY STAFF

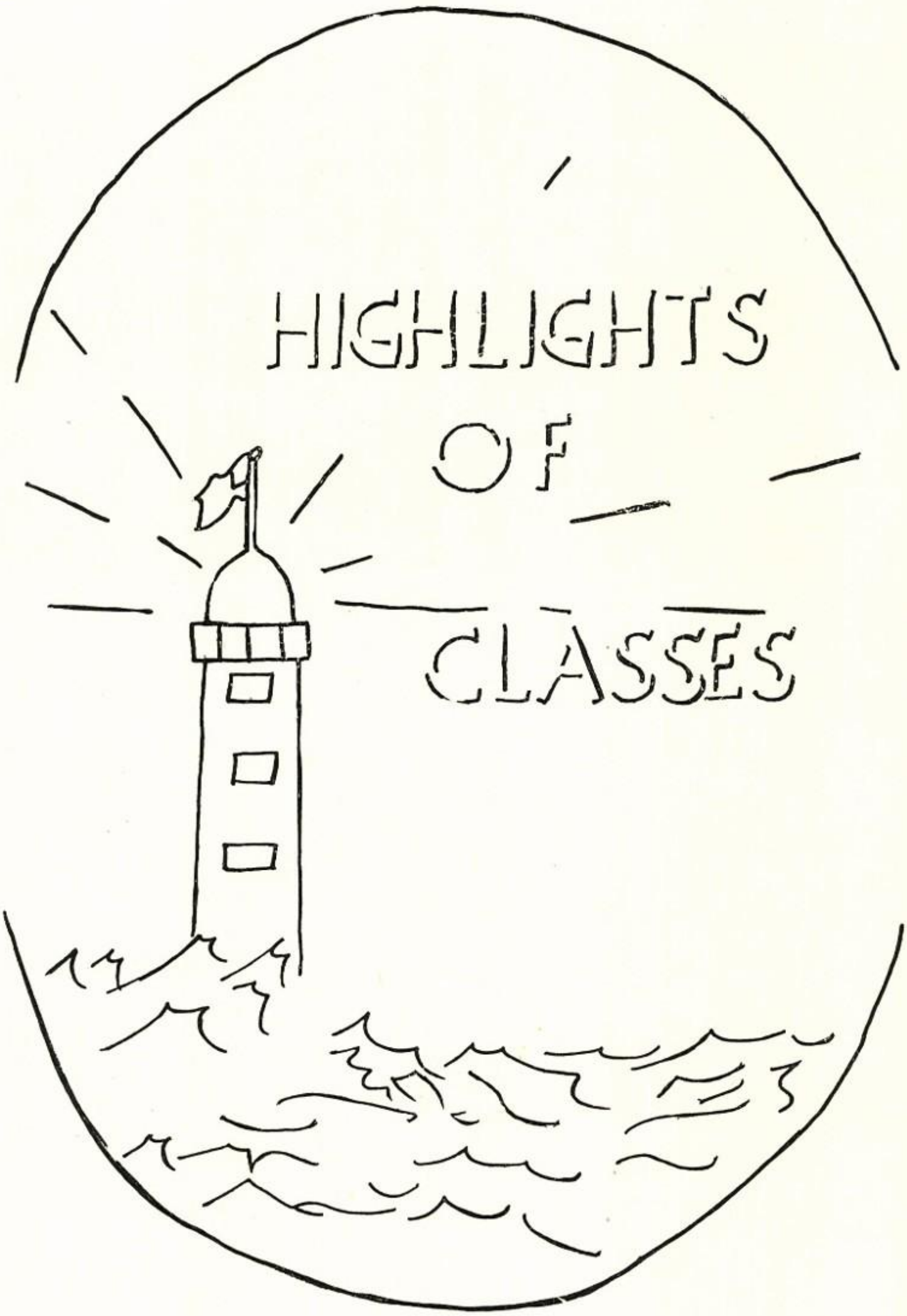
The library staff for 1950-51 includes, first period, Richard Voise and Phyllis Huff; second period, Bonnie Delzer and Marjorie Gust; third period, Doris Wacker and Mary Ann Weber; fourth period, Lorraine Seibel and Delores Meske; fifth period, Jackie Grening [first semester]; sixth period, Marciel Fink; seventh period, Arlene Kissler and Marian Kiesz.

The library staff has worked hard this year to make the library a convenient and enjoyable place to spend a study hour.

Approximately 216 new books were added to the library this year. The entire library was recataloged and new shelving installed.

The students are very appreciative of the help given them by Mrs. Heimbigner and Mr. Weddle.

# HIGHLIGHTS OF CLASSES



Good Luck

Donnie

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## SENIOR CLASS

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## JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

We began our Junior year by winning first prize with our float. All were very happy and "thanks" to all those who worked so hard on it.

Next we chose our officers for the first semester. They are as follows: President—Bud Zirkle, Vice President—Lee Schorzman, Secretary—Ronald Schafer, Treasurer—Sumiko Mitsui, Representative—Harlan Wilskie, Class Reporter—Mary Ann Weber, Class Advisor—Mr. Theisen.

Then we started raising money for our Junior Prom by selling pop, coffee, hot dogs, candy bars, and peanuts at all the football games. We took in quite a bit of money.

On October 4, a salesman from Jostens was here and 29 class rings were ordered. They were very nice and all the Juniors wore them proudly.

Our next event was the Junior class play "Stop Thief" given November 22, 1950. It was a three act mystery centering around a kleptomaniact, written by Carlyle Moore. Everyone enjoyed it and we enjoyed giving it. Mrs. Shelby was our director.

Officers for second semester were as follows: President—Lee Schorzman, Vice President—Harlan Wilskie, Secretary—Ronald Schafer, Treasurer—Sumike Mitsui, Representative—Darlene Kuest, Reporter—Leonard Durfey.

Our final activity was our Junior-Senior prom and banquet which was given May 4. The theme was "Sidewalk Cafe" and the music was furnished by Fev Pratt from Pullman. The gym was decorated like a sidewalk cafe with stripped canopes, card tables and beautiful decorations. There was a good turnout and everyone had a wonderful time. The food was prepared by our mothers and served by the Sophomore girls. The welcome speech was made by the Junior Class President, Lee Schorzman. A return speech was given by the Senior president Marilyn Salo.

Neal Phillips was elected toastmaster for the banquet. Reverend Satterfield gave the invocation at the Prom. Mrs. Dave Heimbigner and Mr. Jantz were our "honored guests".

Class colors are red and white with carnations as our flower. Class motto—"The surest way not to fail, is to determine to succeed".

Good luck To a member of the Royal "Chev" family!
Ronald Schafer

to a Chevy driving senior good luck
Kevin Kramer

Left to right, top row: Cecil Schell, Lorus Kuest, Dean Witt, Dennis Quast, Eddie Huff, Lo Wayne Heimbigner, Harley Wraspir. Second row: Mrs. Sloan, Advisor; Joan Mills, Paula Haug, Betty Schultz, Sandra King, Dorothy Kremsreiter, Darlene Schlimmer, Barbara Heimbigner, Naomi Gilliam, Shirley Wacker. Third row: Meiba Mills, Noreen Scrupps, Yvonne Hopp, DeLila Janke, Susan Shelby, Jo Ann Mills, Ruth Sieverkropp, Robert Walters. Bottom row: Orville Widmer, Richard Miller, Donald Cosgrove, Darrell Schafer, Donald Haase, Bill Warren. Those not present when pictures were taken are Carol Larson and Ed Jasman.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

The class of "53" has an enrollment of 33.

As our class advisor we chose Mrs. Sloan.

Our first semester officers were: President—Noreen Scrupps, Vice President—DeLila Janke, Secretary—Eddie Huff, Treasurer—Susan Shelby, Representative—Betty Schultz.

In our class we had three new classmates, they are: John Pyne, Susan Shelby and Naomi Gilliam.

The class of "53" also sponsored the Christmas Dance, which turned out to be a big success.

For our class project we bought Christmas tree lights.

Second semester officers were: President—Noreen Scrupps, Vice President—Shirley Wacker, Secretary—Eddie Huff, Treasurer—Carol Larsen, Representative—Dean Witt.

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## FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

The Freshman Class of "54" started off their first year in O. H. S. with a lot of interest in their float for the "Harvest Festival Parade". The float was beautifully decorated with green and yellow, carrying out the theme, "Freshman to Senior".

October 6, was our Initiation Day. We all came dressed to impersonate everyone from "Baby New Year" to "Captain Kidd". After the Seniors had taken us through the paces all day we were full-pledged freshmen.

On October 20, the Seniors gave us the annual "Initiation Dance". We all had a wonderful time and wish to thank the Seniors for the good time we had.

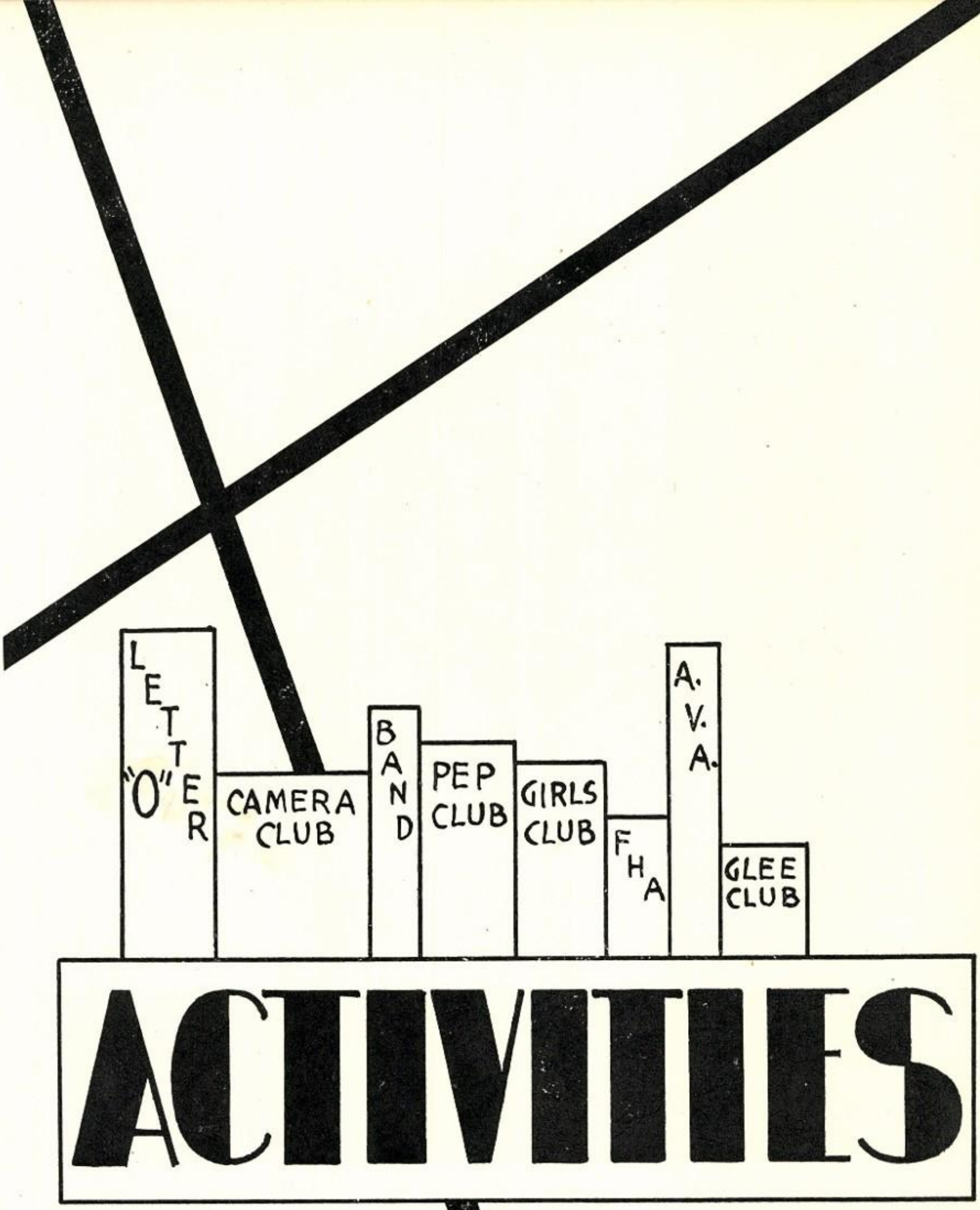
We started high school with 27 members and took in one new member during the year.

Mrs. Shelby was our class advisor and we chose as our class project buying a new clock for the study hall.

Class officers were: First semester: President, Allen Kuest, Vice President, Shirley Jeske; Secretary, Pat Durfey; Treasurer, Alice Birge; News Reporter, Marion Kiesz; Class Representative, Arlene Kissler. Second semester: President, Shirley Jeske; Vice President, Waldo Luiten; Secretary, Darlene Kagele; Treasurer, Allen Kuest; News Reporter, Pat Durfey; Sergeant-at-arms, Wayne Frederick; Class Representative, Alice Birge.

On April 4, the Freshmen gave the traditional class dance.

For our home room project we gave the play, "What Shall We Take". We practiced and presented our play during our home room periods.


LETTER "O"
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GLEE CLUB
ACTIVITIES

Best of luck to you the most wonderful person and the most wonderful Annual Editor. I've enjoyed working with you so very much.

Congratulations Elaine

Best wishes to a fine and swell girl; may you always be successful in other life as well as school.

Eddie

## ACTIVITY CALENDAR

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|---|---|
| First Day of School | September 11 |
| Bye Football | September 15 |
| Annual Pictures | September 20 |
| Football—Wilbur—here | September 22 |
| Football—Lind—here | September 29 |
| National Assembly | October 3 |
| Football—Davenport—there | October 5 |
| Football—Ritzville—here | October 13 |
| Football Bye | October 20 |
| Senior Dance | October 20 |
| Football—Wilbur here | October 27 |
| V. F. W. Party | October 27 |
| National Assembly | October 30 |
| Football—Lind there | November 3 |
| Football—Davenport—here | November 11 |
| International Show | November 17 |
| Junior Play matinee | November 21 |
| Play | November 22 |
| V. F. W. Party | November 24 |
| National Assembly | November 27 |
| Alcohol Program Forum Speaker | November 30 |
| Debate at Davenport | November 30 |
| Harrington Basketball Jamboree | December 1 |
| Gonzaga Basketball game—here | December 2 |
| Basketball—Wilbur—there | December 5 |
| Football Banquet | December 6 |
| Basketball—Ritzville—there | December 8 |
| Girls Club Stockhop | December 9 |
| Basketball—Davenport—there | December 12 |
| Letter "O" | December 13 |
| National Assembly | December 14 |
| Basketball—Lind—here | December 15 |
| Band Concert | December 16 |
| Sophomore Christmas Dance | December 22 |
| Basketball Tournament—Wilbur | December 27-28-29 |
| Basketball—Wilbur—here | January 3 |
| Debate—Cheney—here | January 4 |
| Basketball—Sprague—there | January 5 |
| Debate—Colville—here | January 8 |
| Basketball—Davenport—here | January 9 |
| Debate—N. W. Christian—here | January 11 |
| Basketball—Harrington—there | January 12 |
| Basketball—Almira—there | January 16 |
| Debate—Central Valley—there | January 18 |
| Basketball—Ritzville—here | January 19 |
| Basketball—Marlin—here, [B-Squad] | January 23 |
| Debate—Mead—here | January 25 |
| Basketball—Lind—there | January 26 |
| National Assembly | January 30 |
| Debate—Marycliff—here | February 1 |
| Basketball—Marlin B Squad—there | February 2 |
| Basketball—Almira—here | February 5 |

## ACTIVITY CALENDAR [Continued]

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| Debate—Davenport—here | February 8 |
| A. S. B. Film | February 9 |
| Basketball—Sprague—here | February 9 |
| Basketball—Almira—here | February 12 |
| National Assembly | February 14 |
| Basketball—Harrington—here | February 16 |
| State Game Department Program | February 16 |
| Talent Show and Movie | February 20 |
| Basketball—Harrington—there | February 26 |
| Lions Club Tournament | March 1-2-3 |
| Bi-County Meeting | March 5 |
| National Assembly | March 8 |
| A. S. B. Film | March 9 |
| Sweetheart Dance | March 9 |
| Small Groups—Music—Davenport | March 15 |
| All-High Play | March 30 |
| Student Council—Ritzville | April 2 |
| Tennis—Davenport—there | April 3 |
| Baseball—Davenport—there | April 3 |
| Vacation | April 4-5-6 |
| Band—Davenport | April 12 |
| Lind—here—Baseball | April 13 |
| Tennis—Lind—here | April 13 |
| Band Concert | April 14 |
| Davenport Band—here | April 16 |
| Freshman Dance | April 20 |
| Baseball—Sprague—there | April 20 |
| Tennis—Sprague—there | April 20 |
| Band Contest—Bi-County—Ritzville | April 21 |
| Grade School Dedication | April 23 |
| Grade School Play | April 25 |
| Tennis—Davenport—here | April 26 |
| Baseball—Ritzville—here | April 27 |
| Tennis—Ritzville—here | April 27 |
| Band Contest—at Spokane | April 28 |
| South Side Tennis Meet | May 3 |
| Harrington Baseball—there | May 4 |
| Junior-Senior Prom | May 4 |
| Bi-County Track Meet—Ritzville | May 5 |
| Bi-County Tennis Meet—Davenport | May 10 |
| Mothers Day Tea | May 11 |
| District Track Meet | May 12 |
| Track Meet | May 18 |
| District Tennis | May 19 |
| Seniors last studying day | May 22 |
| Marching Contest—Odessa | May 26 |
| Baccalaureate | May 27 |
| Class Night for Seniors | May 28 |
| Commencement | May 29 |
| Last Day of School | June 2 |

## PEP CLUB

At the beginning of this year the G. A. A. changed it's name to "Pep Club". It was decided to change it's name to "Pep Club" with an aim to create a better rooting section. The Pep Club members want Odessa to have one of the best rooting sections showing good sportmanship and lots of school spirit.

Uniforms were chosen: they are black skirts, white blouses with emblems, and beanies. All the members will have emblems until they graduate, then they will receive Pep Club pins for their own.

A new constitution was written. The officers were held over from last year. They were: President Sue Phillips, Vice President Elaine Nichols, Secretary Doris Wacker, Treasurer Phyllis Huff, Social Chairman Mary Ann Schmidt.

During the first semester the Pep Club served a football banquet to all of the football players.

Election of officers is held during the second semester and carried over through the first semester of the next year. The new officers are: President, Elaine Nichols; Vice President, Shirley Wacker; Secretary, Mary Ann Weber; Treasurer, Yvonne Hopp; Social Chairman, Bonnie Jean Delzer and Senior Chairman, Doris Wacker.

New members were accepted and initiation was held during the second semester.

**STUDENT COUNCIL FIRST SEMESTER**

Left to right, top row: Allen Kuest, Lee Schorzman, Harlan Wilskie, Richard Voise, Marilyn Salo, Noreen Scrupps, Betty Schultz. Second row: Shirley Jeske, Sandra King, Gene Kuest, Maurice Fink, Leslie Stehr, Neal Phillips, Mr. Mooers, Advisor. Arlene Kissler [absent] Rita Uhrich [absent] Bud Zirkle [absent].

## STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council is the representative government that regulated the activities of the High School.

It is made up of two representatives from each class and the regular officers elected by the Student Body.

All school functions must first be passed through the council before they can be scheduled. They also control the discipline of the school.

A meeting is held every Tuesday of each week. One meeting was held down at Smith's Cafe where they had dinner at noon.

Officers for the semester were:

### First Semester

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| President | Maurice Fink |
| Vice President | Gene Kuest |
| Secretary | Leslie Stehr |
| Treasurer | Rita Uhrich |
| Business Manager | Neal Phillips |

**STUDENT COUNCIL SECOND SEMESTER**

Seated: Left to right: Noreen Scrupps, Rita Uhrich, Shirley Jeske, Alice Birge, Darlene Kuest, Marilyn Salo, Mr. Mooers.
Standing: Lee Schorzman, Dean Witt, Wayne King, Richard Voise, Gene Kuest, Maurice Fink, Mickey Markurson.

## Second Semester

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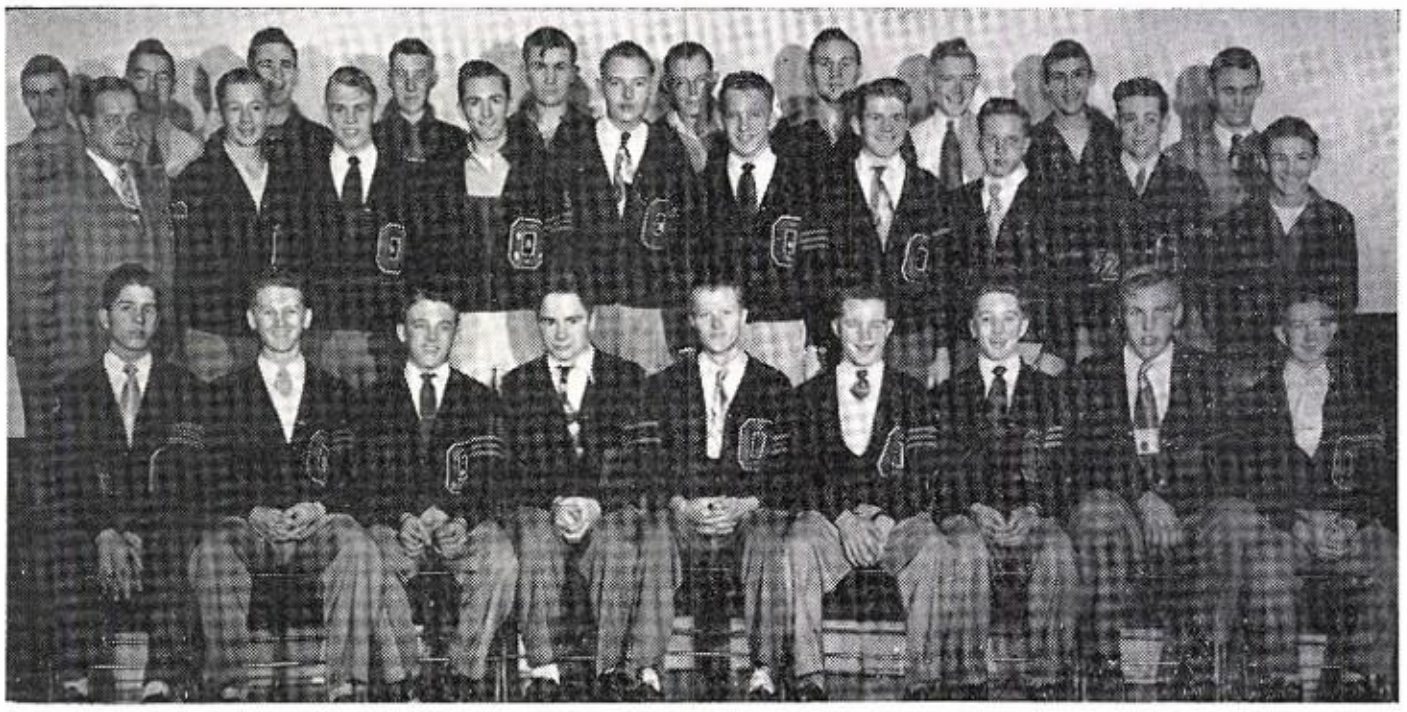
|---|---|
| President | Maurice Fink |
| Vice President | Gene Kuest |
| Secretary | Coleen Luiten |
| Treasurer | Rita Uhrich |
| Business Manager | Richard Voise |



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## LETTER "O" CLUB

On December 13, 1950, the Letter "O" added seven new members to its ranks when initiation was held in the high school. Refreshments were served consisting of hot dogs and pop. A very enjoyable time was had by everyone.

After initiation we had thirty members. They are: Seniors—Maurice Fink, Richard Voise, Harley Frank, Leslie Stehr, Lamar Homberg, Melvin Carlson, Charles Schoonover, Don Sieverkropp, Wayne King, and Jack Gasser. Juniors—Art Odell, Myron Walters, Gary Mills, Neal Phillips, Harlan Wilskie, Lee Schorzman, Douglas Ottestad, Bud Zirkle, Kevin Kramer, Leonard Durfey, Larry Reisenauer, and Bud Minard. Sophomores—Eddie Huff, Don Cosgrove, Cecil Schell, Darrell Schafer, and Loris Kuest. Freshman—Waldo Luiten.

Election was held for the entire year. Our officers are:

President ..... Franklin Koth
Vice President ..... Leslie Stehr
Secretary ..... Wayne King
Representative ..... Richard Voise

Our prime activity of the year was sponsoring the annual football banquet on December 6, 1950. The Pep Club planned, prepared, and served the dinner. It was served family style and the menu was: Baked ham and pineapple, scalloped potatoes, cole slaw, rolls, garnishes, apple pie a la mode, milk, and coffee.

After the banquet we went to the auditorium—here Arthur B. [Buck] Bailey, guest speaker from Washington State College, spoke to us on "Team spirit and cooperation." He told us that any boy has a place in sports even though he isn't a star. He also told us some very humorous stories. At this banquet Maurice Fink was our toastmaster.

Lamar Homberg received the annual Alumni Inspirational Award, and Myron Walter received the award of Honorary Captain. We then received certificates for our letters which we had earned during that season of football.

Our boys' this year helped enforce the school laws with the aid of paddles. This year especially the Letter "O" has had a very interesting year and next year we hope to add many more boys to the membership.

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Carol Larson, Rita Uhrich and Arlene Kissler [absent].

## THE GIRLS CLUB

The first project sponsored by the Girls Club this year was a Stock Hop which was held December 9. Everyone came in jeans and flashy socks and a good time was had by all.

We sold Basketball Schedule pencils to the community as way to make money. This turned out quite well.

Next was a movie and talent show. The talent show consisted of skits, musical numbers, tap dancing, and a comedy musical act. The name of the movie was "Farewell to Yesterday", a story of the war. The program was enjoyed by all.

The annual Sweetheart Dance was held on March 9. The theme was Blue Moon and the effect was quite striking.

The officers for the year are as follows: First Semester: President, Marciel Fink; Vice President, Mary Ann Weber; Secretary, Noreen Scrupps; Treasurer, Elaine Nichols; Social Chairman, Coleen Luiten; Freshman, Geraldine Haase, Sophomore, Carol Larsen, Junior, Lois Raugust; Reporter, Doris Wacker. Second Semester: President, Marciel Fink; Vice President, Elaine Nichols; Secretary, Noreen Scrupps; Treasurer, Darlene Kuest; Social Chairman: Freshman, Alice Birge; Sophomore, Carol Larsen; Junior, Sumiko Mitsui; Senior, Coleen Luiten. Reporter, Naomi Gilliam.

Later in the spring we sponsored a Mother's Day Tea.

SWEATHEART DANCE ROYAL CORONATION

The 1951 Girls' Club Sweetheart Dance was held Friday evening, March 9th in the high school gymnasium. It was beautifully decorated with the theme "Blue Moon". Light and dark blue crepe paper was used and a huge silhouette with a boy and girl sitting on the park bench inside of the moon. By the dance band there was a half moon with the theme painted in it.

The highlight of the evening was the coronation of the King and Queen. This was done by popular vote of all the high school students and their dates. Maurice and Marciel Fink, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Fink were crowned King and Queen of the dance. Sue Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Phillips, was crowned princess, and Franklin Koth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathanial Koth was crowned prince. Mrs. Shelby, Girls' Club advisor, was in charge of the coronation.

The two best dancing couples were chosen by the faculty and chaperons. A unanimous selection was made for DeLila Janke and Eddie Huff. For honorable mention, Elaine Nichols and Wayne King were chosen.

Crown bearers were Carla Schafer, and Skippy Miller.

Two vocal solos were given as entertainment by Betty Jo Haverstok, accompanied by Alice Birge. Music was furnished by Stanley and his orchestra.

Left to right, top row: Susan Shelby, Noreen Scrupps, Shirley Wacker, DeLila Janke, Yvonne Hopp, Bonnie Delzer, Marcella Schafer, Darlene Kagele, Ann Keebler. Second row: Betty Jo Haberstok, Barbara Heimbigner, Delores Ish, Paula Haug, Colleen Schlimmer, Marion Kiesz, Pat Durfey, Geraldine Haase, Mrs. Sloan, Advisor. Bottom row: Naomi Gilliam, Mary Ann Schmidt, Doris Wacker, Susan Harper, Marciel Fink, Dorothy Kremsreiter, Darlene Schlimmer, Phyllis Huff. Carol Larson and Arlene Kissler [absent].

## F. H. A.

In October 1950, the Odessa High School organized the first Future Homemakers of America club. The first members joining were: Ann Keebler, Marciel Fink, Barbara Heimbigner, Mary Ann Schmidt, Doris Wacker, Naomi Gilliam, Darleen Schlimmer, Paula Haug, Colleen Schlimmer, Geraldine Haase, Arlene Kissler, Marcella Schafer, Dorothy Kremsreiter, and Phyllis Huff.

The first officers were: President—Marciel Fink, Vice President—Mary Ann Schmidt, Secretary and Treasurer—Phyllis Huff, Reporter—Dorothy Kremsreiter, Committee Chairman—Naomi Gilliam, Historian—Darleen Schlimmer.

A group of four girls and our sponsor went to Clarkston on Saturday October 7 for the Regional F. H. A. meeting.

We observed national F. H. A. week by attending church in a body and having a window display down town.

During the year we sent CARE packages to Alabama, contributed to the World Christmas Festival, and to the state Leadership and the State Scholarship Funds.

We were initiated by the Ritzville Chapter on January the nineteenth.

Our Program Committee Chairman made each member a year book. This gave an outline of our activities throughout the year.

We gave two banquets this year. The first just for members and with our chapter mother as guest. The second was a Father-Daughter banquet.

On December sixteenth the chapter had a bazaar and food sale from which the sum of $45 was raised.

Our chapter mother and father are Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Fink. Our advisor is Mrs. Sloan.

Left to right, top row: Eddie Huff, Douglas Ottestad, Ronald Schafer, Mr. Theisen, Coach. Bottom row: Phyllis Huff, Marilyn Salo, Sue Phillips.

## DEBATE

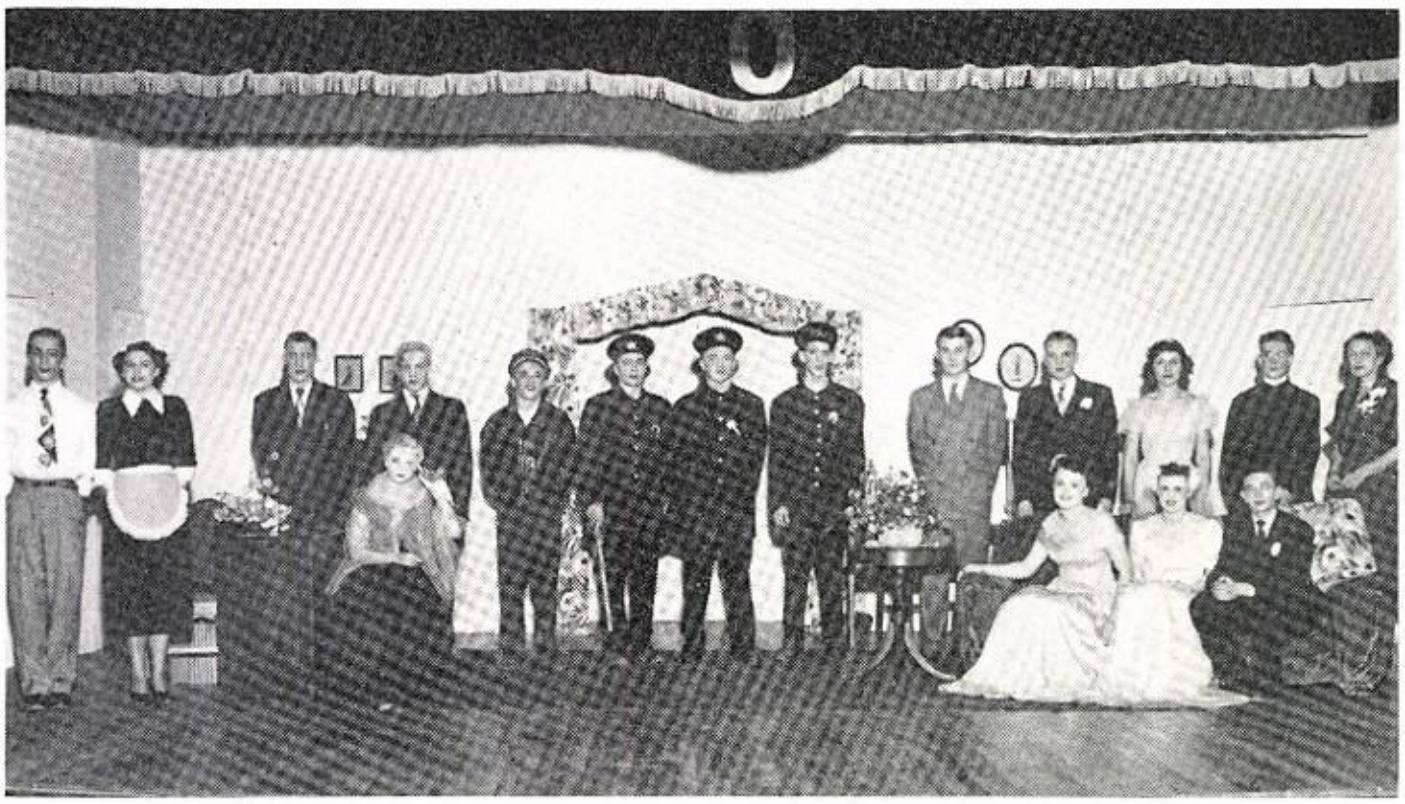
The national high school debate topic for this year was Resolved: That the federal government should adopt a substantial expansion of the welfare state.

There were six members on the debate team—Ronald Schafer, Marilyn Salo, Eddie Huff, Sue Phillips, Douglas Ottestad, and Phyllis Huff. This was the first year any of them ever had any kind of speech work; and so their coach, Mr. Theisen, really started from nothing.

Mr. Theisen and the team attended the Northwest Forensic Tournament at Gonzaga University. Of the seventy schools represented Odessa placed in the top ten, and also gained a lot of valuable experience.

The team came out with a fifty-five per-cent standing in their league, and attended a tournament at Whitworth College to decide who would go to state from this league. Gonzaga, Marycliff, North Central, West Valley, Odessa, and Davenport all placed in the top six and represented the district at state. North Central, West Valley, and Gonzaga took the top three places at state, Odessa placing in the top fifteen. Out of sixty speakers represented in the division, Ronald Schafer was voted 15th best speaker and Eddie Huff 20th best.

Ronald, Doug, Eddie and Mr. Theisen are all looking forward to an even better season next year, and we would like to take this opportunity to wish them the best of luck.



Left to right, standing: Neal Phillips, Darlene Kuest, Lee Schorzman, Leonard Durfey, Myron Walter, Kevin Kramer, John Minard, Charles Keebler, Gary Mills, Gene Kuest, Viola Wraspir, Doug Ottestad, Mrs. Shelby, Director. Seated, left to right: Mary Ann Weber, Elaine Nichols, Lorraine Seibel, Harlan Wilskie.

## JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

The Junior Class presented their play "Stop Thief" November 22, 1950. It was a three act comedy mystery written by Carlyle Moore. Our director was Mrs. Shelby. The cast included the following:

| | |
|---|---|
| Nellie | Darlene Kuest |
| Doogan | Neal Phillips |
| Madge | Lorraine Seibel |
| Joan | Elaine Nichols |
| Caroline | Viola Wraspir |
| Mrs. Carr | Mary Ann Weber |
| Mr. Carr | Leonard Durfey |
| James Cluney | Harlan Wilskie |
| Dr. Willoufby | Gene Kuest |
| Detective | Gary Mills |
| Three Policemen | Bud Minard |
| | Charles Keebler |
| | Kevin Kramer |
| Chauffeuer | Myron Walters |

The remaining members of the class served as make-up committee, stage crew, sound effects, and properties.

The play was a smash hit!

ALL-HIGH PLAY CAST

Seated: Left to right: Marilyn Salo, Sue Phillips, Sylvia Bartalamay, Jackie Grening, B. G. Williams, Elaine Nichols, Lois Raugust, Coleen Luiten.
Standing: Mary Ann Weber, Cecil Schell, Maurice Fink, Eddie Huff, Mrs. Shelby, Ronald Stehr, Neal Phillips, Don Cosgrove, Gene Kuest, Leslie Stehr, Phyllis Huff.

ALL-HIGH PLAY PRODUCTION STAFF

First row: Left to right: Rita Uhrich, Noreen Scrupps, Marciel Fink, Marilyn Salo, Shirley Jeske, Darlene Kuest, Shirley Wacker, Yvonne Hopp, Phyllis Huff.
Sceond row: Harlan Wilskie, Marion Kiesz, Roberta Walter, Arlene Kissler, Doris Wacker, Dorothy Kremsreiter, Paula Haug, Mary Ann Schmidt, Mary Ann Weber, Myron Walter.
Third row: Melvin Carlson, Mickey Markuson, Donald Sieverkropp, Charles Schoonover, Lamar Homberg,

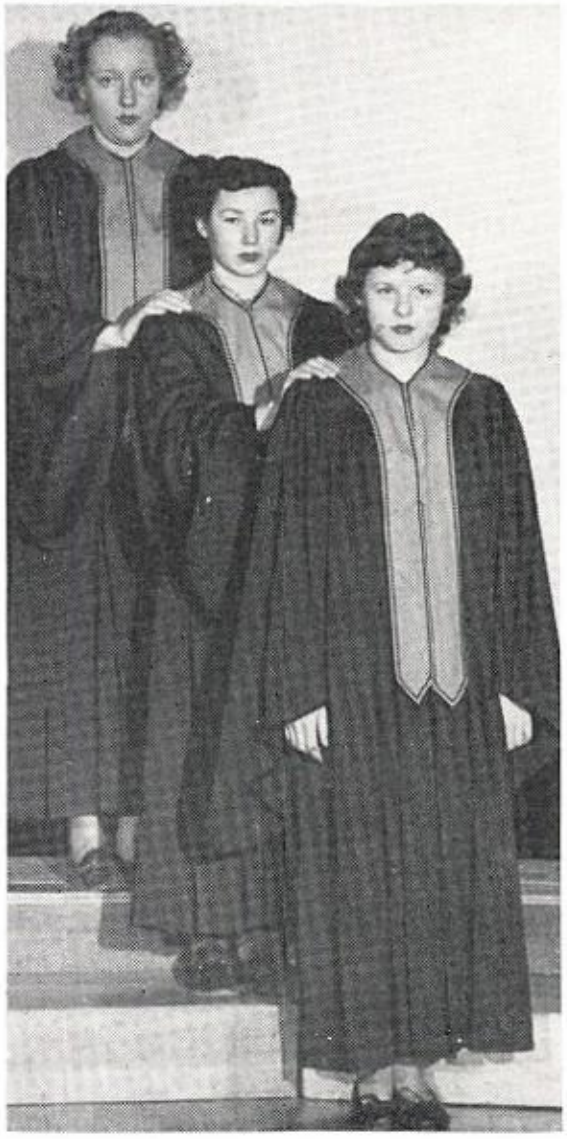
## ALL HIGH PLAY

March 30, 1951 at 8 o'clock in the O.H.S. Auditorium there was a full house which came to see a magnificent performance of "Don't Take My Penny" by Anne Martins. The cast consisted of Sally, a maid with a purpose, Sue Phillips; Norman Porter a publicity man, Maurice Fink; Penny, a pretty little miss, Coleen Luiten; Calib, her absorbed father, Don Cosgrove; Mark, her farm-minded brother, Leslie Stehr; Mavis, her attractive sister, Lois Raugust; Lydia, her busy mother, Jackie Grening; Joanna, her loyal girl friend, Sylvia Bartalamay; Kerry, her resourceful boy friend, Eddie Huff; Greg, his pal with ideas, Neal Phillips; Gram, just herself, Byra Grace Williams; Monsieur Henri, a French designer, Cecil Schell; Three pretty young models: Claire, Marilyn Salo; Elsie, Elaine Nichols; Lucile, DeLila Janke; Red, a delivery boy, Ronnie Stehr; Harrison Day, a young author, Gene Kuest; The understudies were: Darlene Kuest, Myron Walters, and Mickey Markuson.

The members of the cast weren't the only ones who had worked very hard to make the performance perfect. The production staff also did their share. The staff consisted of: Stage, Wayne Frederick, Don Sieverkropp, Wayne Sieverkropp, Lamar Homberg, Melvin Carlson, and Mr. Harley Mooers. Properties, Doris Wacker, chairman, Roberta Walter, Co-chairman, Arlene Kissler, Marian Kiesz. Wardrobe, Marciel Fink, chairman, Marilyn Salo, Noreen Scrupps. Make Up: Darlene Kuest, chairman, Dorothy Kremsrieter, Yvonne Hopp, Paula Haug, Shirley Jeske, Susan Harper. Business Manager, Rita Uhrich. Publicity, Mary Ann Schmidt, Harlan Wilskie. Programs, Ronald Schafer, Bud Zirkle. Director, Pauline J. Shelby. Student Directors, Phyllis Huff, Mary Ann Weber.

The prelude was played by Marciel Fink. Between Act 1 and 2 the sophomore Duo, consisting of Dean Witt and Dennis Quast played a few cowboy songs. The Double Sextet accompanied by Paula Haug sang, "Short'nin Bread" and the trio sang "The Desert Song," accompanied by Arlene Kissler between Acts 2 and 3.

Left to right, top row: Paula Haug, Colleen Schlimmer, Rita Ott, Sandra King, Dorothy Kremsreiter, Doris Wacker, Rita Uhrich, Alice Birge, Bonnie Delzer, Ruth Sieverkropp, Mr. Weddle, Instructor. Second row: Joan Mills, Delores Ish, Naomi Gilliam, Yvonne Hopp, Marcella Schafer, Melba Mills, Marion Kiesz, Lois Raugust, Elaine Nichols, Darlene Schlimmer, Delores Meske, Sumiko Mitsui. Third row, Geraldine Haase, Arlene Kissler, Noreen Scrupps, Gladys Raugust, Susan Shelby, Shirley Wacker, Lorraine Seibel, Peggy Pyne, Pat Durfey, Barbara Heimbigner, Betty Jo Haberstok, JoAnne Mills. Bottom row: Ann Keebler, Darlene Kagele, Shirley Jeske, Darlene Kuest, Mary Ann Schmidt, Roberta Walter, DeLila Janke, Carol Larson, Betty Schultz, Lorene Starkel.



## GLEE CLUB

The high school glee club was not very active during the year of 1950-51. They started the year by electing their first semester officers. They were as follows: President— Doris Wacker; Vice President—Carol Larsen; Secretary and Treasurer —Elaine Nichols.

The glee club participated in the annual Winter Concert and sang one of their numbers with the guest soloist, Phil Crosbie of Spokane.

The second semester officers were as follows: President—Mary Ann Schmidt; Vice President—Noreen Scrupps; Secretary and Treasurer—Elaine Nichols.

At our last years Spring Concert an award was presented to Doris Wacker. This award was the Arian Foundation Award. It will also be given to the outstanding girl in the glee club every year from now on. No person can win this award more than once. Everyone has really been working hard to try and win this medal.

**TRIO**

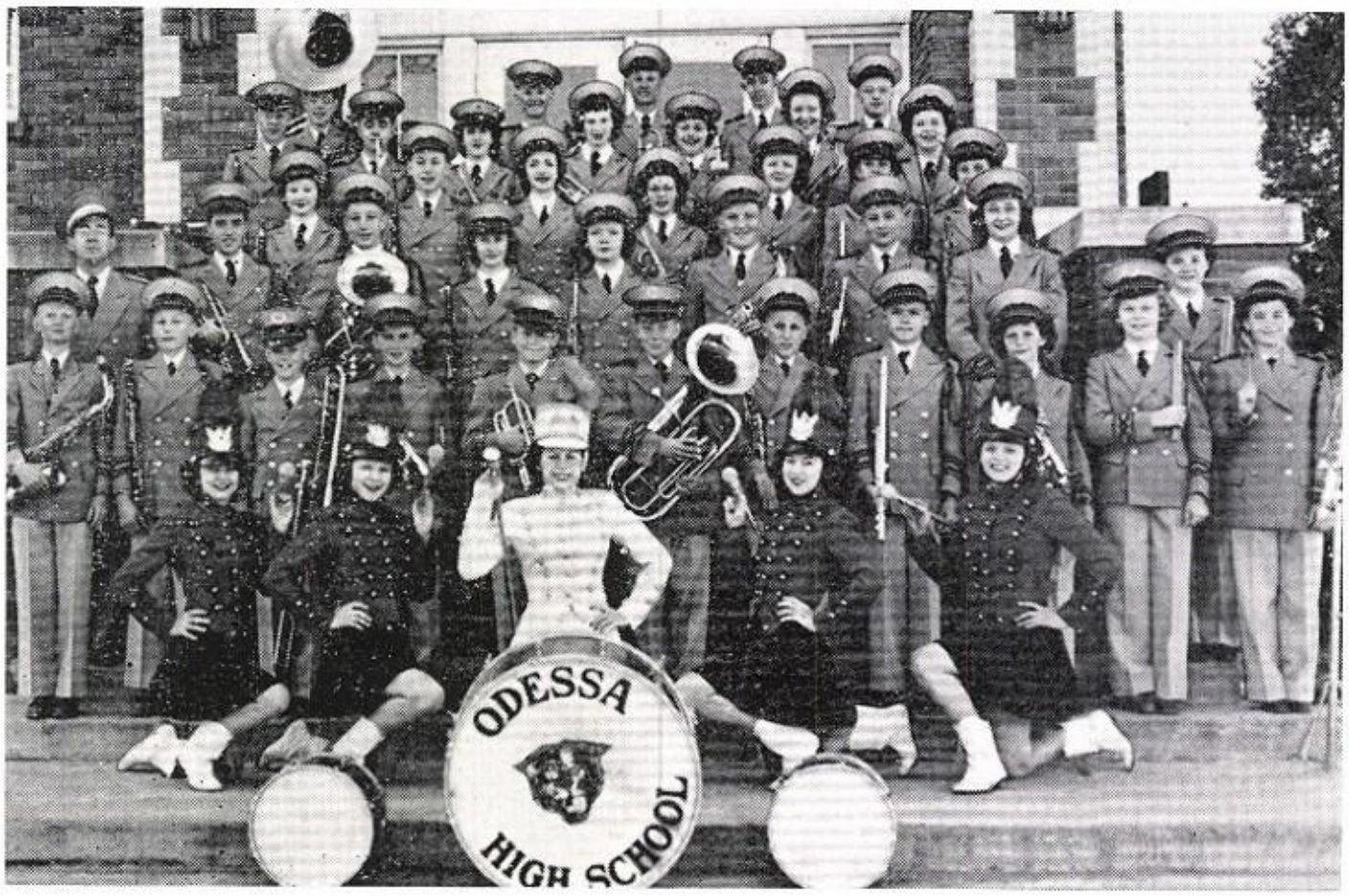
Top to bottom: Doris Wacker, Susan Shelby, Yvonne Hopp.

**TRIPLE TRIO**

Left to right: Arlene Kissler, Darlene Kuest, Carol Larson, Melba Mills, Doris Wacker, Sandra King, Lois Raugust, Rita Ott, Barbara Heimbigner.

**SEXTET**

Left to right: Melba Mills, Arlene Kissler, Betty Schultz, Lois Raugust, Sandra King, Rita Ott.




Left to right, kneeling: Roberta Walters, Yvonne Hopp, Darlene Kuest, DeLila Janke, Carol Larsen; Standing, first row, left to right: Virgil King, Jerry Walter, Bobby Gies, Dalles Weber, Donald Diefe, Bobby Schmidt, Bobby Yuckert, Gerald Eslinger, Francis Birge, Janet Stannard, Maureen Wolf; Second row, left to right: Mr. Weddle—Director, Harley Wraspir, Neal Phillips, Janice Lesser, Janet Eslinger, Allen Kuest, Gale Salo, Marciel Fink, Judy Weber; Third row, left to right: Mary Ann Weber, James Gies, Arlene Kissler, Susan Shelby, Marilyn Zicha, Betty Schultz, Melba Mills; Fourth row, left to right: Lee Schorzman, Lois Schmidt, Mary Ann Schmidt, Sandra King, Elaine Nichols, Doris Wacker, Noreen Scrupps; Back row, left to right: Douglas Ottestad, Wayne King, Merle Braun, Robert Hein, Gene Kuest.

## BAND

**Cornets**
Mary Ann Schmidt
Sandra King
Harley Wraspir
Donald Deife
Francis Birge
Susan Shelby
Dallas Weber

**Clarinets**
Arlene Kissler
Lee Schorzman
Mary Ann Weber
Robert Hein
Janet Eslinger
Janice Lesser
Jerry Walter
Bobby Yuckert
James Gies

**Saxophones**
Doris Wacker
Allen Kuest
Virgil King
Wayne King
Noreen Scrupps

**Bells**
Maureen Wolf

**Trombones**
Merle Braun
Harlan Wilskie
Loris Schmidt
Bobby Gies

**Baritones**
Neal Phillips
Bobby Schmidt

**Flutes**
Betty Jean Schultz
Gerald Eslinger

**Oboe**
Melba Mills

**Horns**
Gale Salo
Marilyn Zicha

**Tuba**
Douglas Ottestad

**Drums**
Marciel Fink
Janet Stannard
Judy Weber
Gene Kuest
Darlene Kuest

**Tympani**
Elaine Nichols

## ODESSA HIGH SCHOOL BAND

The band has played for many events throughout the school year. It made its first appearances at the football games, marching and playing.

The first semester officers were: President, Marciel Fink; Vice President, Doris Wacker; Secretary-treasurer, Mary Ann Schmidt; High School Council Members, Noreen Scrupps, Gene Kuest; Grade School Council Member, Merle Braun.

This year the band had a council in which all band officers were members. They would meet and decide on what kind of music the band would play and ways of improving the band.

In December the band presented its annual winter concert. Phil Crosby from Spokane was guest soloist. The highlight of the evening was the naming of a march which Mr. Weddle wrote and arranged for the band. The march was named,"Stadium King", by Elaine Nichols.

Second Semester officers were: President, Wayne King; Vice President, Lee Schorzman; Secretary, Mary Ann Weber; Treasurer, Doris Wacker; High School Council Members, Noreen Scrupps, Allen Kuest; Grade School Council Member, Merle Braun.

During the spring many of the band members worked hard so they could enter in the Bi-County and District Solo and Ensemble Contests. They were held March 15 and 17.

The band also played and marched in the Lilac festival which was held in Spokane.

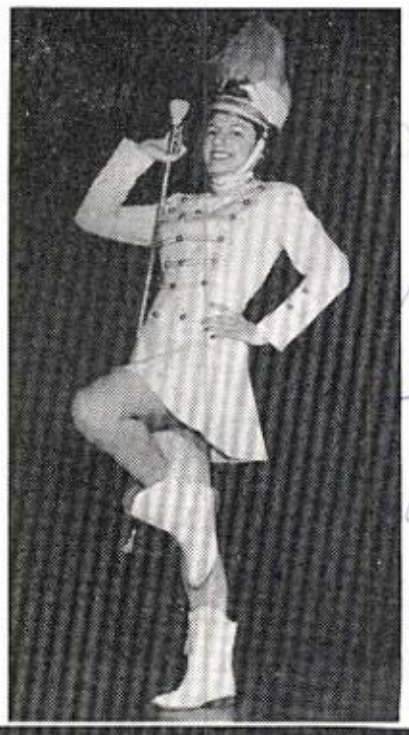
## DANCE BAND

The dance band was started this spring under the leadership of Mr. Weddle. We were allowed to practice only one hour a week during school time and the rest had to be on our own time.

The band played for several dances, for entertainment during hot lunch on Fridays and dinner music for the Commercial Club banquet.

All the band members had a lot of fun playing during the school year. The members were: Saxophones: Allen Kuest, Doris Wacker, Wayne King, Noreen Scrupps; Trumpets: Mary Ann Schmidt, Sandra King, Harley Wraspir, Mr. Weddle; Trombones: Merle Braun, Harlan Wilskie; Drums, Gene Kuest; Piano, Arlene Kissler; Bass, Douglas Ottestad.

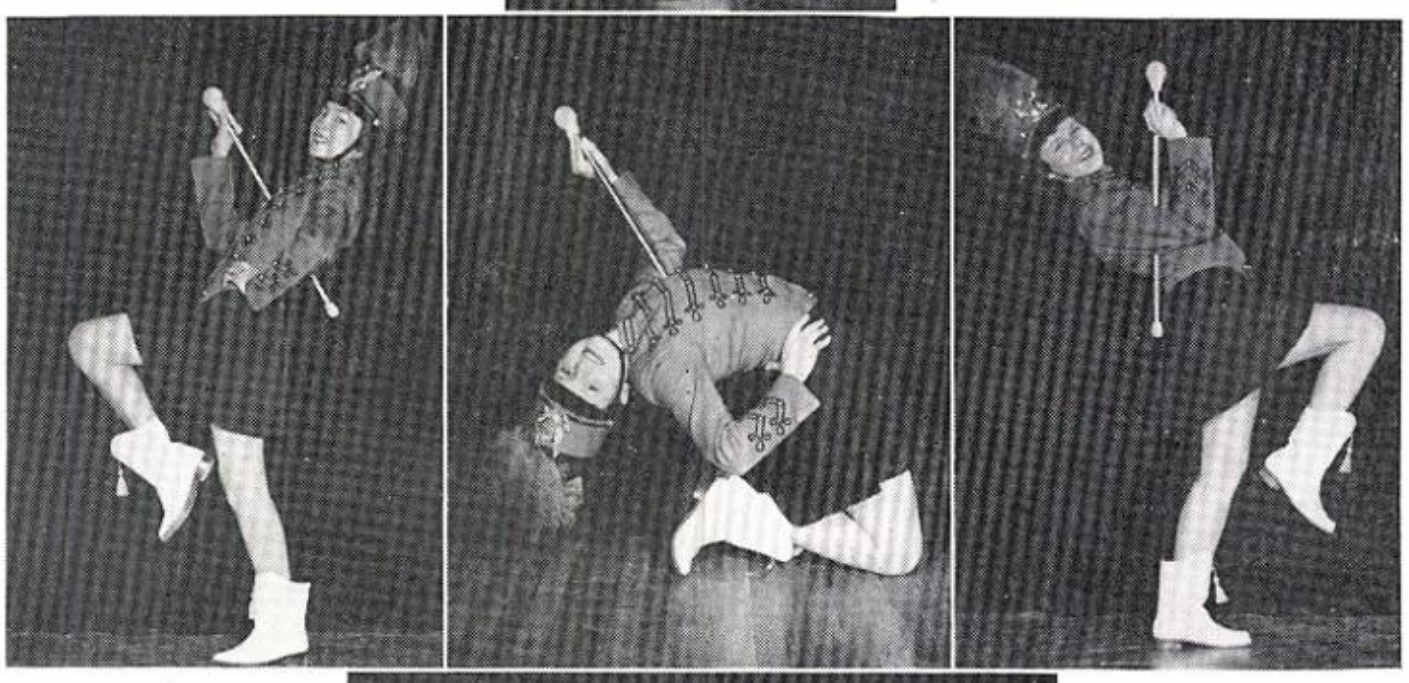
HEAD MAJORETTE
Darlene Kuest



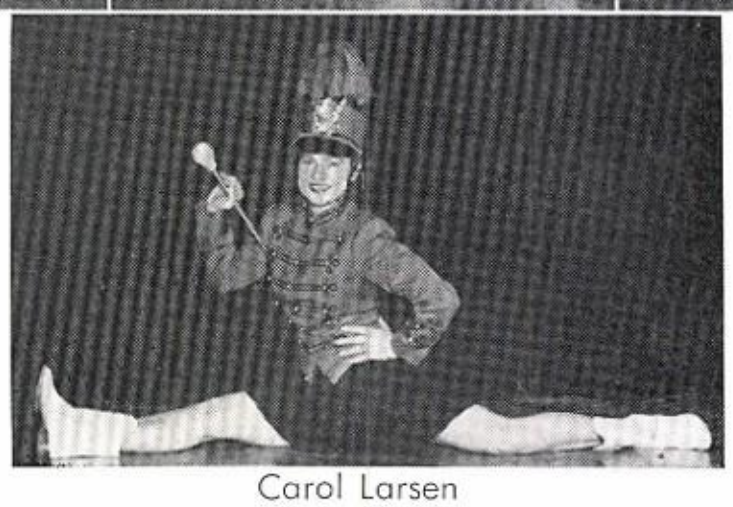
Best of luck to the most wonderful girl I've had for work you and I want to work you like in school and everything you do.
Darlene

DeLila Janke

Yvonne Hopp



Good Luck
to my sweet
Senior
Bobbie



Carol Larsen
Roberta Walters

This year our majorettes started out with a bang! They marched with the band during half time at the football games. Then during the basketball games they bloomed out in the most beautiful new uniforms. At these games they gave everyone some wonderful entertainment by doing dances, different marches, and tap dancing. The uniforms consist of black skirts and orange jackets. With matching hats and plumes. They twirled at the marching contest and gave another showing. They also did a very good job of marching at the Lilac Festival. We are very proud of our majorettes and will be looking forward to their appearance next year.

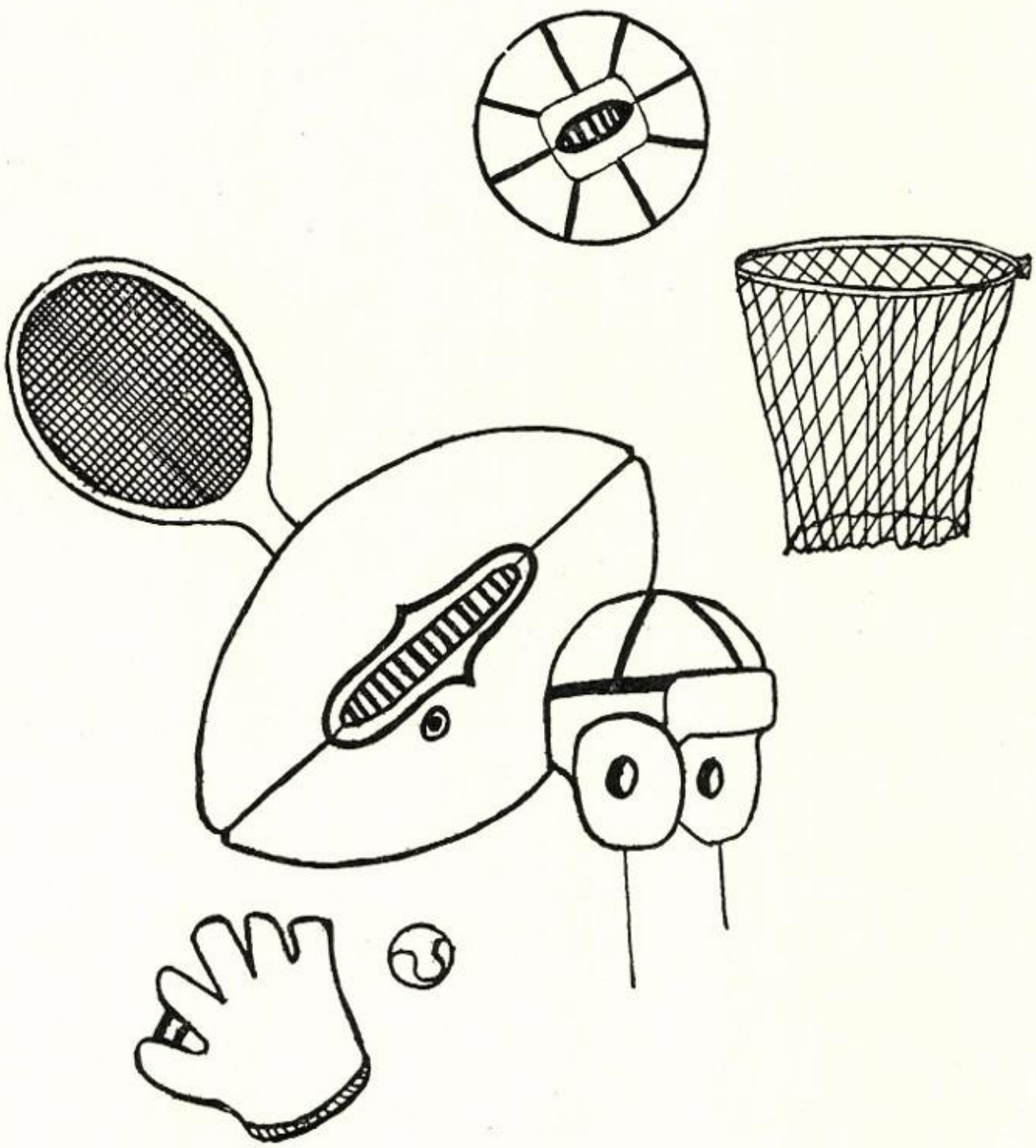
Front row, left to right: Jerry Walter, Bobby Yuckert, Virgil King, Gene Kuest, Loris Schmidt, Gale Salo, Judy Weber, Janet Stannard, Elaine Nichols. Second row, left to right: Harley Wraspir, James Gies, Janet Eslinger, Arlene Kissler, Marilyn Zicha, Janice Lesser, Mary Ann Weber, Noreen Scrupps. Top row left to right: Douglas Ottestad, Robert Hein, Harlan Wilskie, Merle Braun, Wayne King, Doris Wacker, Mary Ann Schmidt, Allen Kuest.

## PEP BAND

The pep band is made up of some of the members of the High School Band. They were chosen by Mr. Weddle. The pep band played for pep assemblies and at many of the football and basketball games.

# Autographs

Lots of Luck
to a swell friend
Weive had lots
of fun together.
Have fun at L.L.C.
and write to me.
Rita



# SPORTS

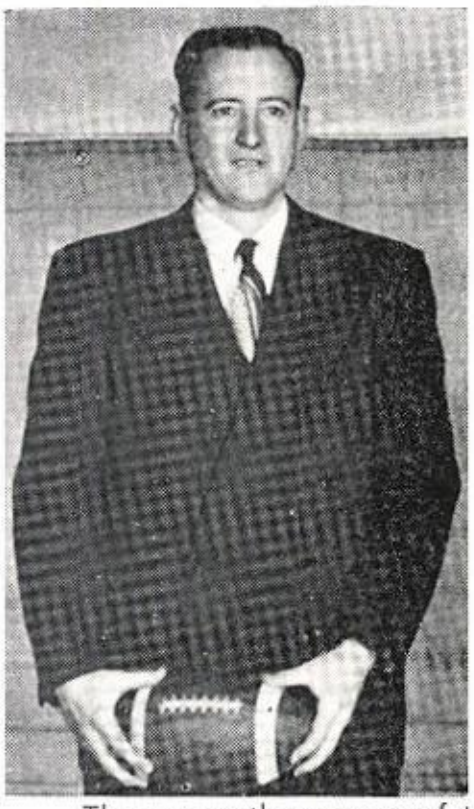
Left to right, top row: Harlan Wilskie, John Fyne, Maurice Fink, Charles Keebler, Harley Frank, Mickey Markuson, Lo Wayne Heimbigner, Leslie Stehr. Second row: Mr. Carbough, Asst. Coach, Ed Huff, Lee Schorzman, Gary Mills, Lamar Homberg, Darrell Schafer, Bud Minard, Melvin Carlson, Allen Kuest, Mr. Gillis, Coach. Bottom row: Paul Hopp, Bud Zirkle, Myron Walter, Don Haase, Kevin Kramer, Neal Phillips, Leonard Durfey, Don Cosgrove, Gene Kuest, Ronald Stehr, Waldo Luiten.

## FOOTBALL

The Odessa Football Team had an improved season under their new coach, Mr. Gillis. The team got off to a bad start, losing to Wilbur 14-6 in the first game of the season, but recovered quickly and beat Lind 6-0 the next game.

The Odessa Team was hampered by minor injuries, losing key men when they were needed most, but they made up for this in fight and scrap.

They tied Ritzville, 21-21, as they scored a touchdown and an extra point in the last minute of play.



**Mr. Gillis, Coach**

At the end of the season the Bi-County sports writers selected an All-Star Team. Lamar Homberg was selected for the first team and Harley Frank and Myron Walter on the second team. These awards, along with letter awards, were presented at the Banquet.

Few players were lost through graduation, and we are looking forward to a highly successful season in 1951.

The League standings were as follows:

| Team | Won | Tied | Lost |
|---|---|---|---|
| Davenport | 6 | 0 | 1 |
| Wilbur | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| Odessa | 2 | 1 | 4 |
| Ritzville | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| Lind | 1 | 0 | 6 |

These are the scores of the Odessa Games as they were played:

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Odessa | 6 | Wilbur 14 | Odessa | 21 | Ritzville 21 |
| Odessa | 6 | Lind 0 | Odessa | 0 | Wilbur 6 |
| Odessa | 0 | Davenport 26 | Odessa | 20 | Lind 6 |
| | | Odessa 18 | Davenport | 30 | |

* Letterman this year

| Name of player | Position | Letters earned |
|---|---|---|
| Harlan Wilskie | Guard | |
| John Pyne* | Tackle | 1 |
| Maurice Fink* | Fullback | 4 |
| Charles Keebler | End | |
| Harley Frank* | End | 2 |
| Mickey Markuson | Halfback | |
| Lo Wayne Heimbigner | Halfback | |
| Leslie Stehr* | Guard | 2 |
| Eddie Huff* | Quarter back | 2 |
| Lee Schorzman* | Center-tackle | 3 |
| Gary Mills* | Fullback | 3 |
| Lamar Homberg* | End | 4 |
| Darrell Schafer* | End | 1 |
| Bud Minard* | Guard | 1 |
| Melvin Carlson* | Tackle | 3 |
| Allen Kuest | Guard | |
| Paul Hopp | Manager | |
| Bud Zirkle* | Halfback | 2 |
| Myron Walter* | Halfback | 3 |
| Don Haase* | Guard | 1 |
| Kevin Kramer* | Tackle | 2 |
| Neal Phillips* | Quarter back | 1 |
| Leonard Durfey* | Tackle | 1 |
| Don Cosgrove* | Center | 2 |
| Gene Kuest | Tackle | |
| Ronald Stehr | Guard | |
| Waldo Luiten | Manager | |
| Gary Kuest | Halfback | |
| Loris Kuest | Halfback | |

Hope to see you in November for the "Bar-More" Reunion for Senior Bar-More friends in college as you remember many friends in college as you did in High School. I'm sure will miss you for the contest's over. Keeping. Lee N Schryver

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ALUMNI INSPIRATIONAL AWARD

Lamar Homberg

HONORARY CAPTAIN

Myron Walter

## INSPIRATIONAL AWARD AND HONORARY CAPTAIN

These awards are given by the Odessa Alumni Association in honor of members of the Alumni that served in the Armed Services.

The awards are voted on by the members of the football team. The Inspirational Award is given to the Senior whom his team mates believe inspired them the most.

The Honorary Captain Award is given to the player whom his team mates would like to have as captain the following season.

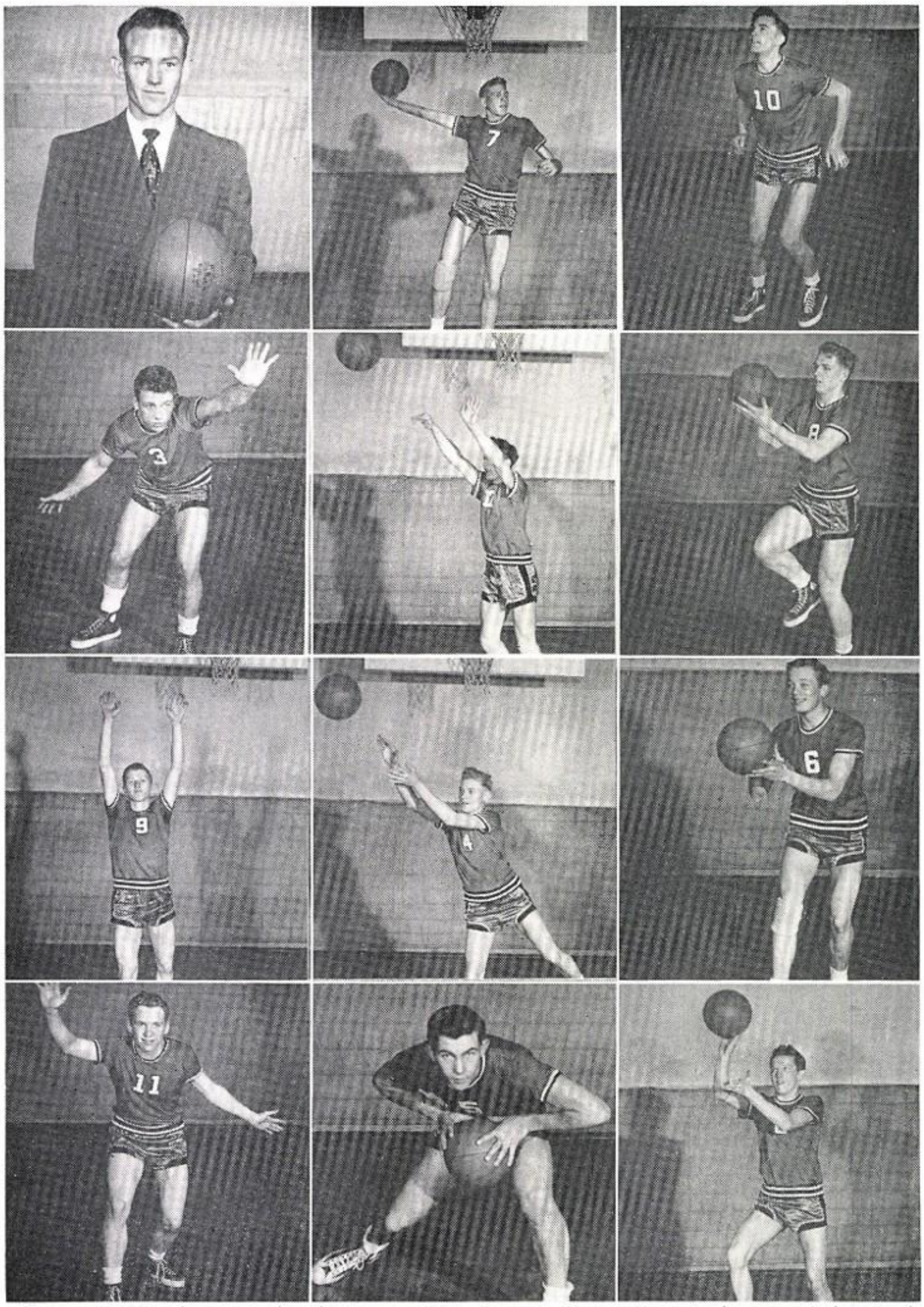
Lamar Homberg received the Inspirational Award.

Myron Walter received the Honorary Captain Award.

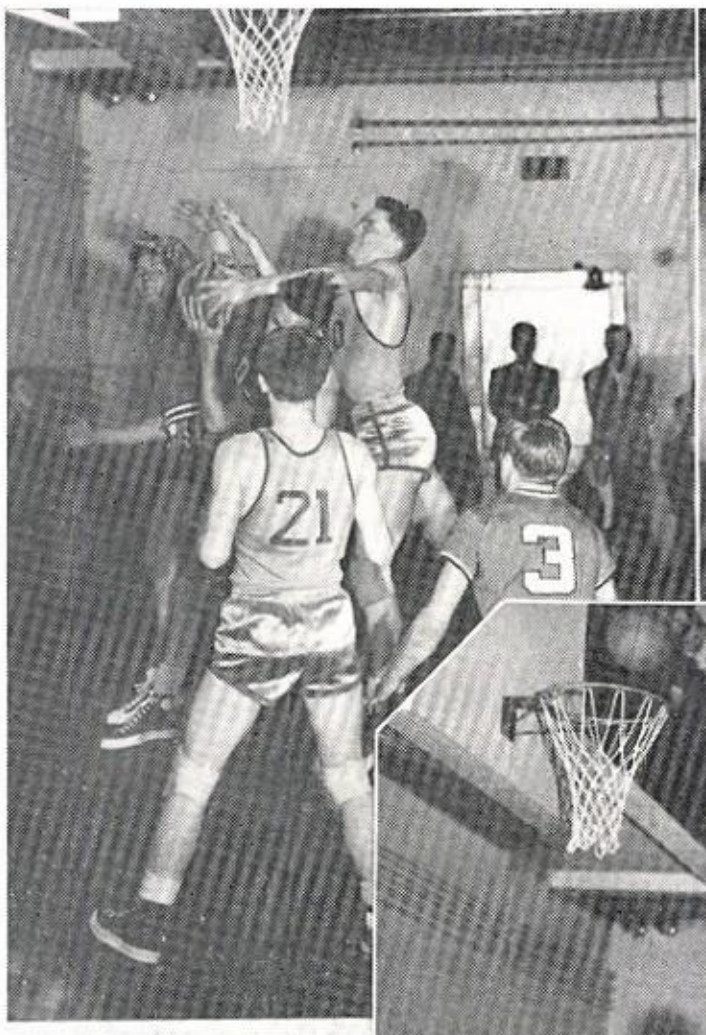
Those who have already won this award are: Walt Diefe, 1947-48; Al Fink, 1948-49, and Marvin Fink, 1949-50.

Best Wishes James Quast



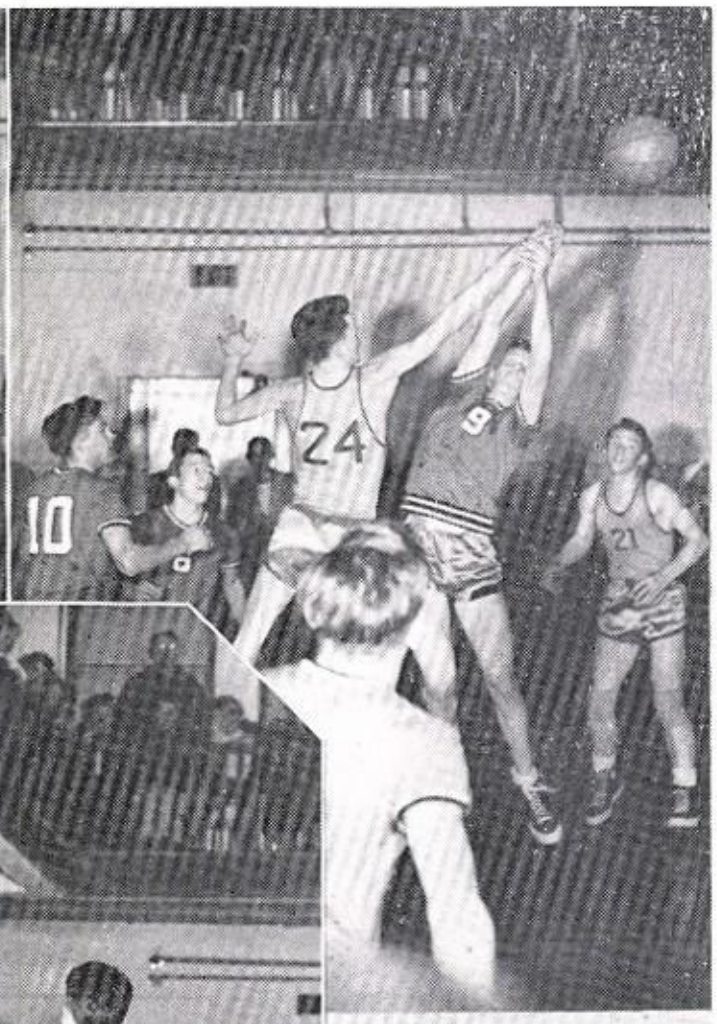


Left to right: Coach—Mr. Carbough, Dennis Quast, Position—Center, Year—Sophomore; Harley Frank, Position—Forward, Year—Senior; Second row: Myron Walter; Position—Guard, Year—Junior; Bud Zirkle, Position—Guard, Year—Junior; Franklin Koth, Position—Forward, Year—Senior; Third row: Richard Voise, Position—Guard, Year—Senior; Jack Gasser, Position—Guard, Year—Senior; Darrell Schafer, Position—Center, Year—Sophomore; Fourth row: Maurice Fink, Position—Guard, Year—Senior; Gary Mills, Position—Forward,Year—Junior; Wayne King, Position—Forward, Year—Senior.



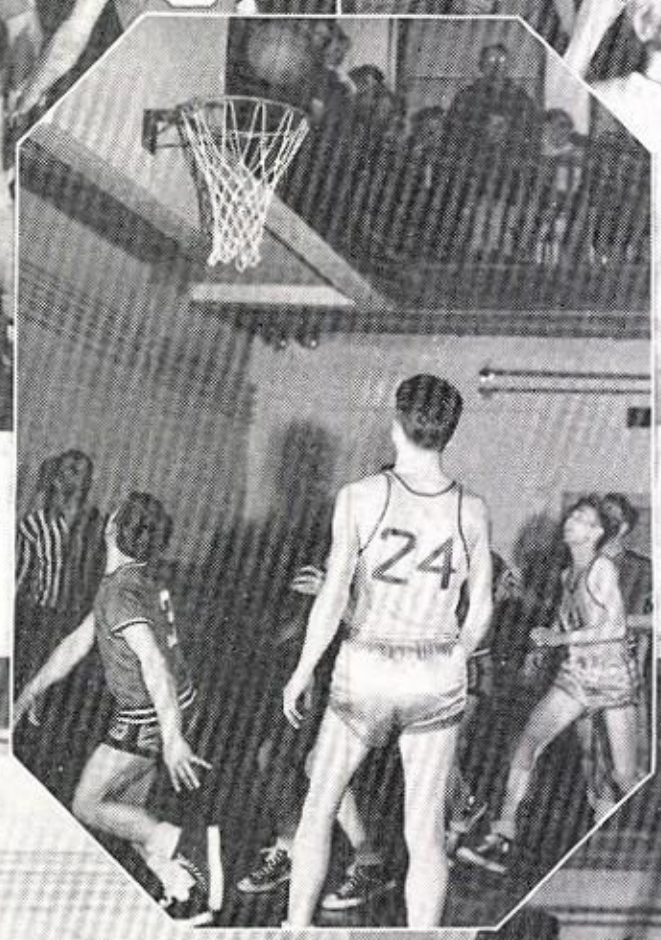
To far left—Gary Mills
Number 3—Myron Walter
In middle—Harley Frank

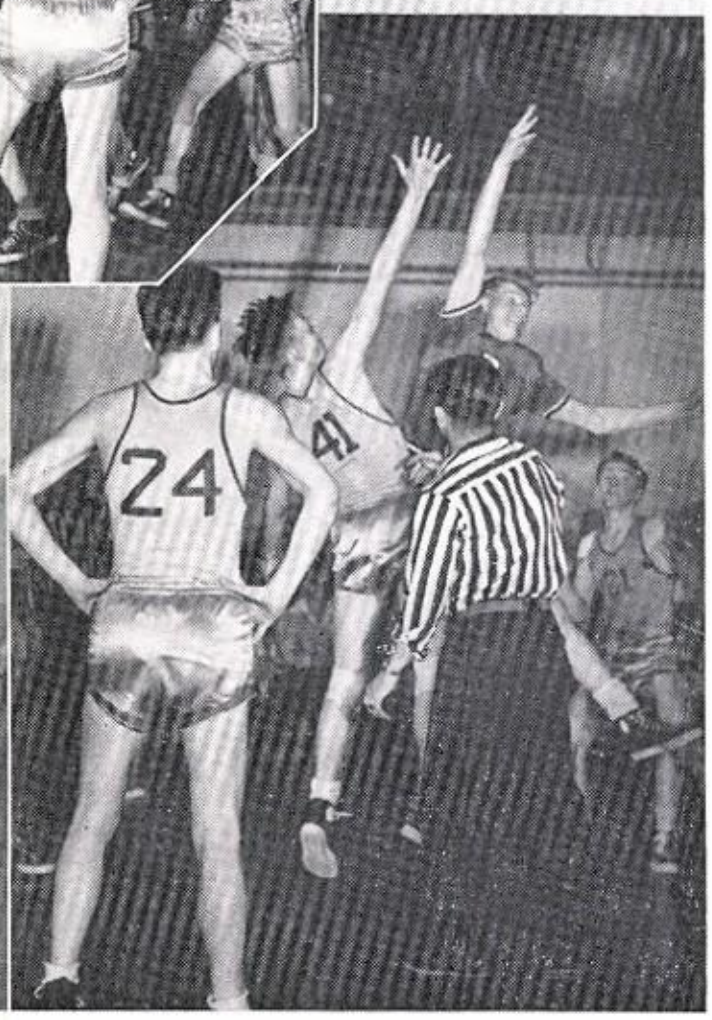
Shooting—Maurice Fink



Number 10—Harley Frank
Number 6—Darrell Schafer
Number 9—Richard Voise

Jumping—Franklin Koth





## BASKETBALL

| Odessa | Opponents | They | Odessa | Opponents | They |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 35 | Gonzaga | 33 | 37 | Sprague | 51 |
| 34 | Wilbur | 51 | 25 | Davenport | 47 |
| 25 | Ritzville | 41 | 37 | Harrington | 58 |
| 33 | Davenport | 67 | 32 | Ritzville | 30 |
| 33 | Lind | 31 | 16 | Lind | 40 |
| 31 | Tonasket | 46 | 35 | Almira | 55 |
| 53 | Medical Lake | 38 | 27 | Sprague | 45 |
| 57 | Rosalia | 43 | 28 | Almira | 65 |
| 35 | Wilbur | 40 | 39 | Harrington | 44 |

The Odessa basketball team started out the year by beating Gonzaga 35-33. Then the team lost to Wilbur and Ritzville. The next game was won—we played Lind. The Odessa Tigers had a rather bad season, but they came back strong a few times throughout the season.

Our Tiger coach again this year was Mr. Bill Carbough who worked hard with our basketball squad.

The Odessa Lions Club held another one of their annual basketball tournaments and the Odessa team was invited to participate. The first night we drew a bye. The second night we defeated Creston 41 to 28. The final night we played a close game with Wilson Creek with Wilson Creek winning by six points. The final score was Wilson Creek 33 and Odessa 27.

Myron Walter was chosen to the All-Tournament first team, and Maurice Fink was chosen to the All-Tournament Second team.

## BASKETBALL

### "A" Squad

Basketball Lettermen*

| | Position | Letters | Personal Scoring |
|---|---|---|---|
| *Maurice Fink | Guard | 4 | 168 |
| *Myron Walter | Guard | 2 | 151 |
| *Harley Frank | Forward | 2 | 130 |
| *Franklin Koth | Forward | 3 | 95 |
| *Darrell Schafer | Center | 1 | 33 |
| *Richard Voise | Guard | 2 | 29 |
| *Dennis Quast | Center | 1 | 27 |
| *Gary Mills | Forward | 1 | 18 |
| Bud Zirkle | Guard | 0 | 4 |
| Jack Gasser | Guard | 0 | 2 |
| Wayne King | Forward | 0 | 0 |
| Lee Schorzman | Forward | 0 | 6 |

Left to right, top row: Cecil Schell, Harlan Wilskie, Eddie Huff, LoWayne Heimbigner, Donald Haase, Waldo Luiten. Bottom row: Mr. Gillis, Coach, Allen Kuest, Neal Phillips, Donald Cosgrove, Lee Schorzman, Ronald Stehr.

"B" Squad

| | Position | Grade | Personal Scoring |
|---|---|---|---|
| Don Cosgrove | Center | Soph. | 84 |
| Bud Zirkle | Guard | Junior | 59 |
| Don Haase | Forward | Soph. | 41 |
| Neal Phillips | Guard | Junior | 36 |
| Harlan Wilskie | Guard | Junior | 32 |
| Darrell Schafer | Center | Soph. | 30 |
| Gary Mills | Center | Junior | 30 |
| Lee Schorzman | Forward | Junior | 21 |
| Waldo Luiten | Guard | Fresh. | 17 |
| LoWayne Heimbigner | Forward | Fresh. | 13 |
| Cecil Schell | Guard | Soph. | 8 |
| Allen Kuest | Forward | Fresh. | 8 |
| Mickey Markuson | | Junior | 5 |

Left to right: Bob Reisenauer, Loris Kuest, Eddie Huff, Dick Miller, Gary Kuest, Paul Hopp and Mr. Theisen.

## BOXING

Six boys turned out for boxing under Coach Thiesen right after the football season. The enthusiasm slacked so it was discontinued until a few weeks before the Bi-County Tournament at Wilbur.

Those who won letters by winning bouts in the tournament are Loris Kuest, Gary Kuest, and Richard Miller.

Bob Reisenauer, Eddie Huff, and Paul Hopp also fought at the tournament. After putting up a good fight they lost their bouts by a few points.

Good luck to a nice, hard-working Senior!
Neal Phillips

Good luck to a swell gal!! Don't take any wooden Powerglides
Doug Ottestad

First row: Left to right: Don Cosgrove, Harlan Wilskie, Neal Phillips, Doug Ottestad.
Second row: Sue Phillips, Elaine Nichols, Sandra King, Noreen Scrupps, Melba Mills, Yvonne Hopp, Mr. Mooers.
Third row: Darrell Schafer, Leslie Stehr, Franklin Koth, Harley Frank, Maurice Fink, Darleen Schlimmer, Marciel Fink, Marilyn Salo.

Mr. Mooers, Coach

## TENNIS

There were thirty-six students that turned out for tennis this year.

There were twelve returning lettermen. They were Harley Frank, Leslie Stehr, Franklin Koth, Neal Phillips, Harlan Wilskie, Darrel Schafer, Maurice Fink, Doug Ottestad, Marciel Fink, Marilyn Salo, Melba Mills and Sue Phillips.

The team played exchange matches with Davenport, Ritzville, Lind, Harrington, Sprague, and Reardan.

The South Side was held May 3, at Odessa and the Bi-County May 10.

The District was held May 18, and the Inland Empire May 24. Odessa participated in all of these tournaments.

We hope the team will continue improving as much as it has been in the last few years.

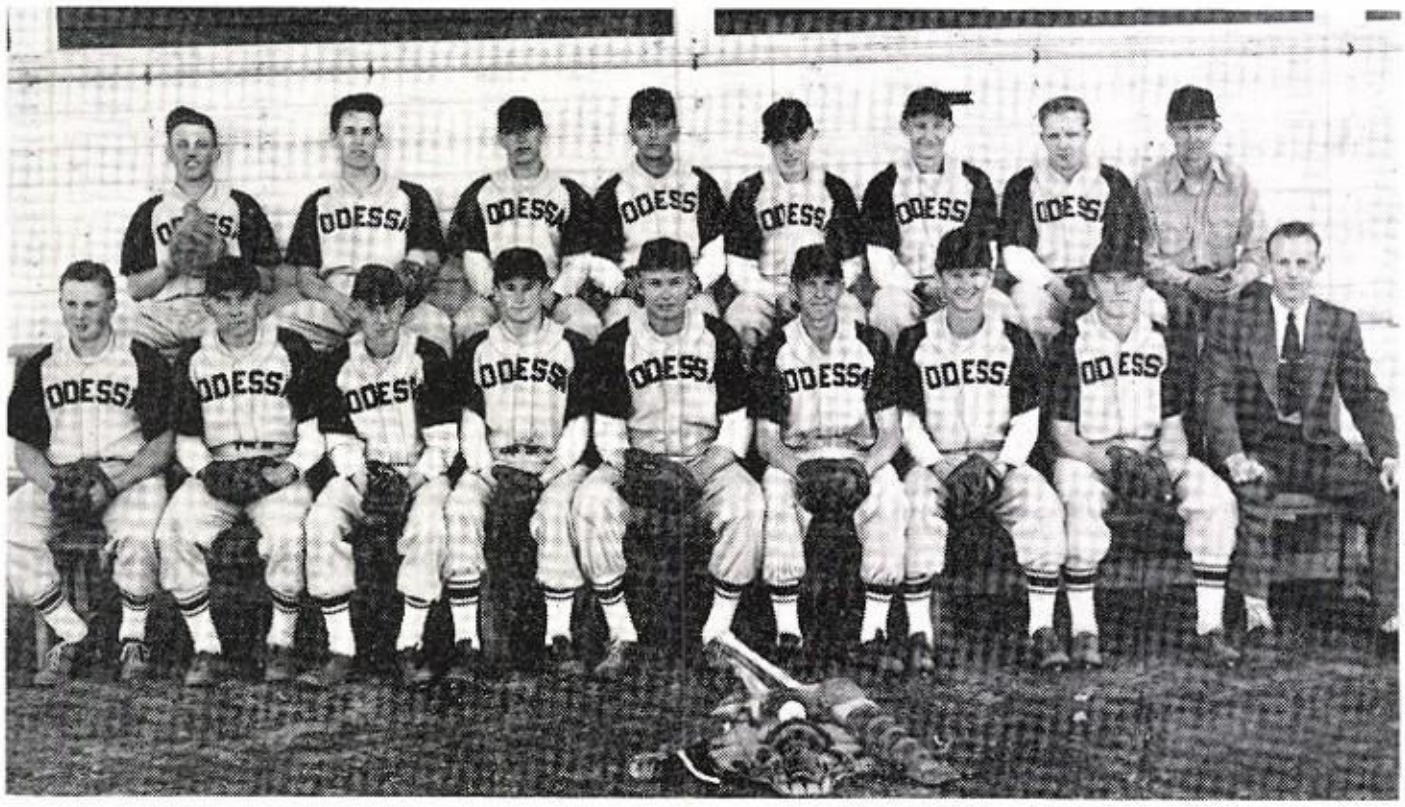
Left to right: Sue Phillips, Leslie Stehr, Harley Frank, Frankie Koth.

## NORTHWEST DISTRICT TENNIS CHAMPIONS

In order to win a berth at the District Tennis Tournament, the four who represented Odessa had to first win the South Side.

Those getting to go to the district meet were: Franklin Koth and Harley Frank, who played boy's doubles; and Sue Phillips and Leslie Stehr, who played mixed doubles. In addition to winning blue ribbons, the winners were also awarded bronze medals.

We are very proud of these champions, and we hope their victory will stand as a challenge to future tennis players.



Front row, seated, left to right: John Fyne, Gary Mills, Lee Schorzman, Mickey Markuson, Lamar Homberg, Dennis Quast, Wayne King, Bud Minard, Mr. Carbough—Coach; Second row: Myron Walter, Eddie Huff, Bud Zirkle, Don Haase, Jack Gasser, Orville Widmer, Leonard Durfey, Weldon Widmer.

## BASEBALL

The 1951 Baseball season wasn't far along when this Annual went to the press. The season wasn't very successful—thus far the local nine being defeated three games out of three played.

The fellows turning out for baseball:

| | |
|---|---|
| Leonard Durfey | Catcher |
| Gary Mills | Pitcher |
| Bud Zirkle | Center Field |
| Loris Kuest | Pitcher |
| Lamar Homberg | 1st base |
| Dennis Quast | 1st base |
| Wayne King | 2nd base |
| Don Haase | Left Field |
| Jack Gasser | Short Stop |
| Lee Schorzman | 3rd base |
| Myron Walter | Left Field |
| Bud Minard | Right Field |
| Gary Kuest | Right Field |
| Mickey Markuson | Center Field |
| Eddie Huff | Catcher |
| Kevin Kramer | Short Stop |
| Orville Widmer | 2nd Base |
| John Pyne | Right Field |

Last year men are Lamar Homberg, Wayne King, Jack Gasser.

Pitching this year is fair but hitting thus far isn't too good. The boys are coming along pretty well and are improving right along.

## YELL LEADERS

The year 1950-51 started out as usual with the election of A.S.B. officers. Among these were the much coveted offices of yell leaders. The duty of this company of three is to lead the yell section at all sports events.

The results of the primary election decided three girls; Marciel Fink, now a veteran of four years on the high school yelling squad, Phyllis Huff, a veteran of two years on the squad and Carol Larsen a newcomer to the field of yelling.

In the general election one girl was to be chosen Queen. Marciel was chosen a capable leader.

Many new yells and actions were worked out and adopted, some of which were accompanied by the band and Mr. Weddle. We would like to thank Mr. Weddle and the band for their help and cooperation during the year.

For the two seniors, Marciel and Phyllis, this year was a very memorable one and not easily to be forgotten. For Carol, who has two years ahead of her, we wish all the luck of leading O.H.S. in yells in the future.

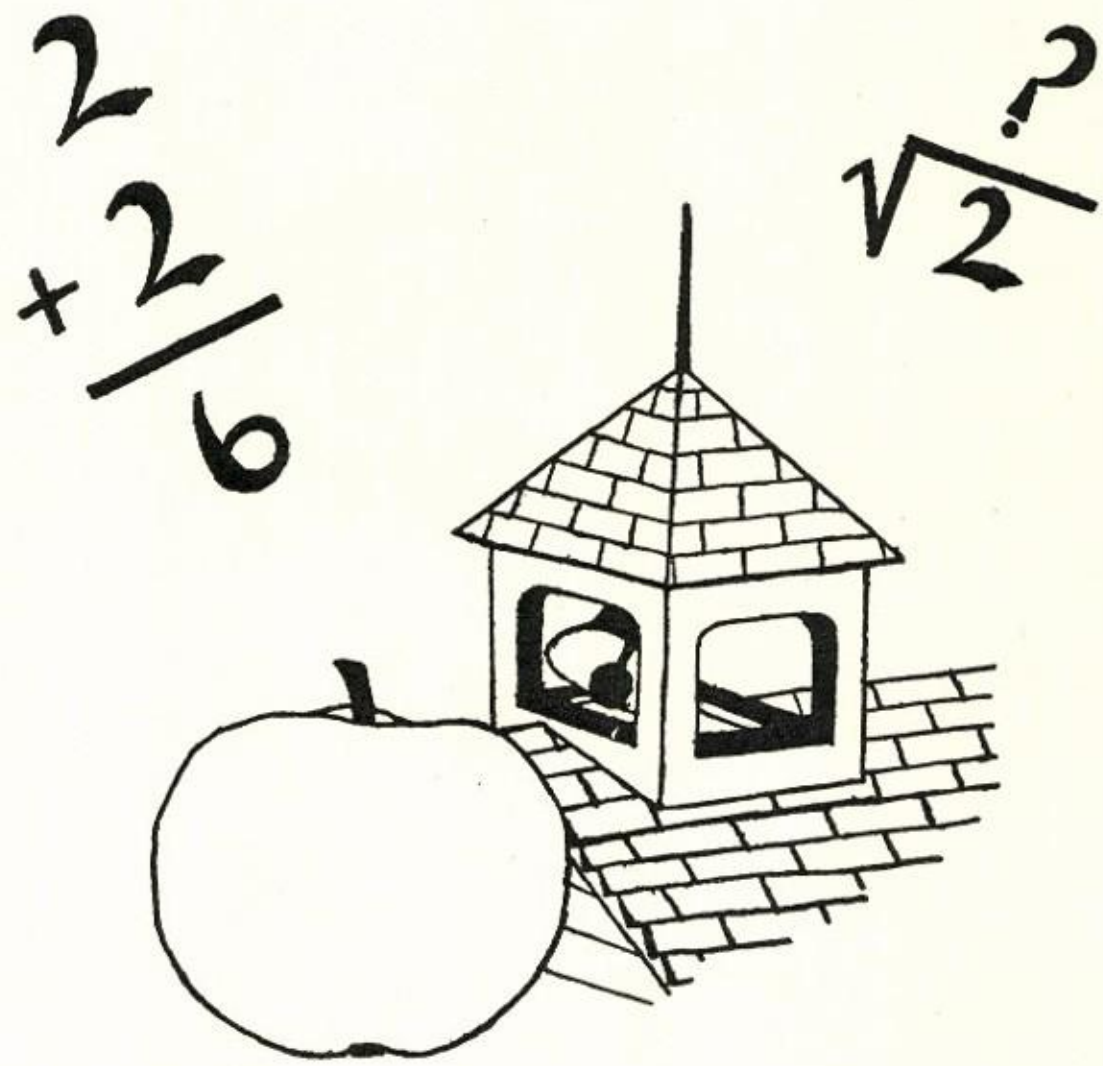
Front row, left to right: Coach—Mr. Gillis, Lee Schorzman, Maurice Fink, Eddie Huff, Myron Walter, Paul Hopp. Second row, left to right: Mickey Markuson, Darrell Schafer, Lamar Homberg, Eddie Elliott, Gary Kuest.

## TRACK

Ten boys turned out for track under the instruction of Coach Gillis. The meets which the team turned out for are the Bi-County—May 5th, North Eastern District—May 12th, and the Tri-County—May 19th.

The coach remarked that the team is strong in field events. It is hoped that other places will come to light.

Bud Zirkle was not present when the picture was taken.

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Boy
Darfey
Mary
MAD?
Judge
Cutie Pie
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Friends
Aren't
Sr.
Pearl Parker
THOSE Legs
Fight!!
Joe Walcott
Tasty
Buddies
Ride 'em!!
What a pose

Tired?
Yep
Cute
Wow
MASTER MINDS
OH
WHERE YOU GOING
Doris
Darrell
WINNER
1935
Old Sh
Nicky
Ralph
Nighty Nite
RESTING
NEW LOOK
Yvonne
Half-Pint
Marilyn
Philee
See how big!
Solo
oh-oh

Three Beer
What's this?
Nice
King
Batter up
Gladdie
Glamour Gal
Old lovers
Rudoph
Nicee
Shut your mouth
Whoops
Back-to-School
Troubles?

SOPHmores
Peg
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Life
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Serve
Boy there - - -
What's up
ODESSA JAIL
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Juniors
It's A Touchdown!!
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We Host!
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TRIPLETS?
School Mum
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Happy
Ouch!
Lost Something
Jump
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Slow Down
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Posing?
Sylvia
Nice Horse
Legs

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jump
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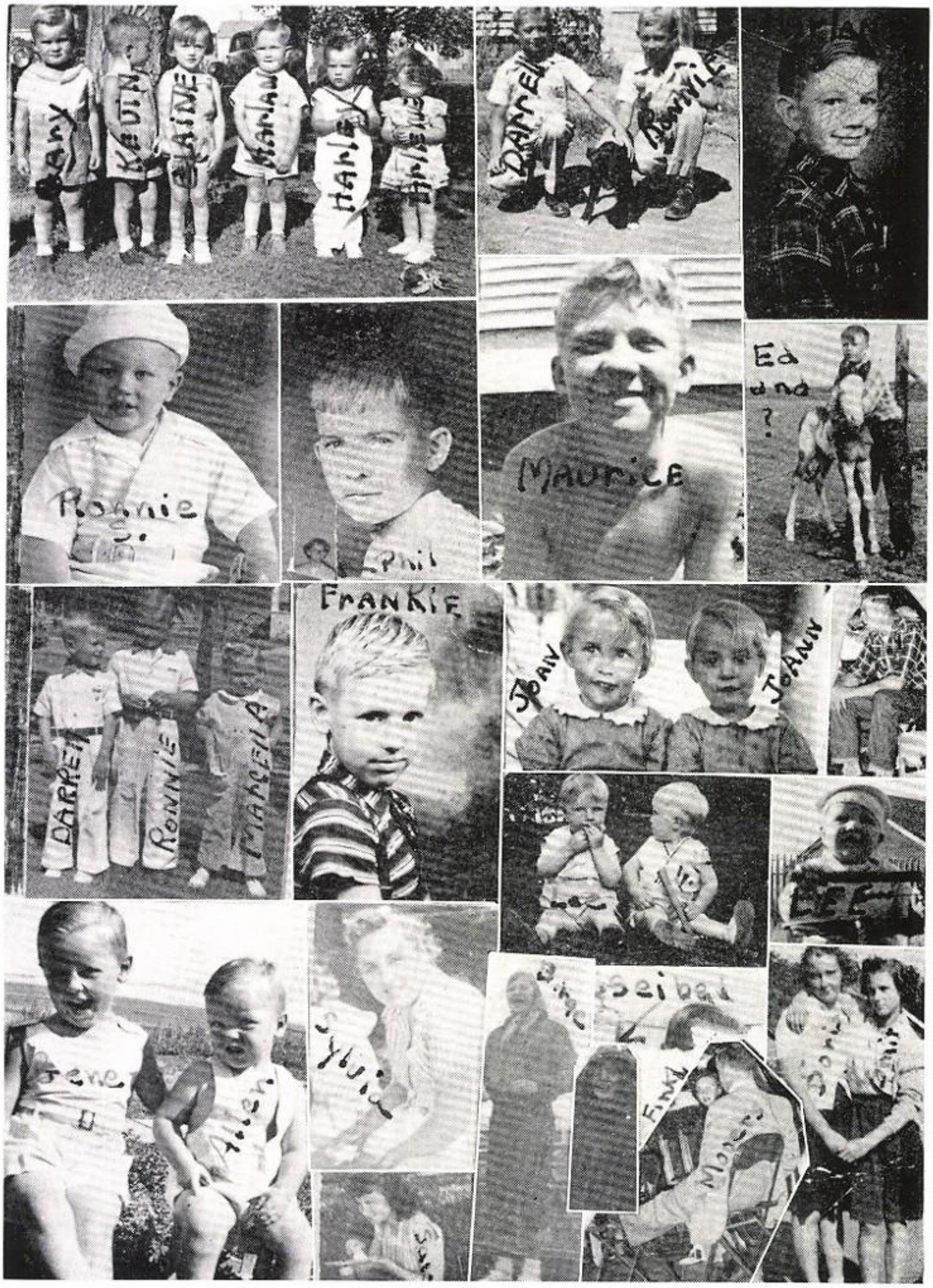
F.F.A
Pete
We Won!
Sylvia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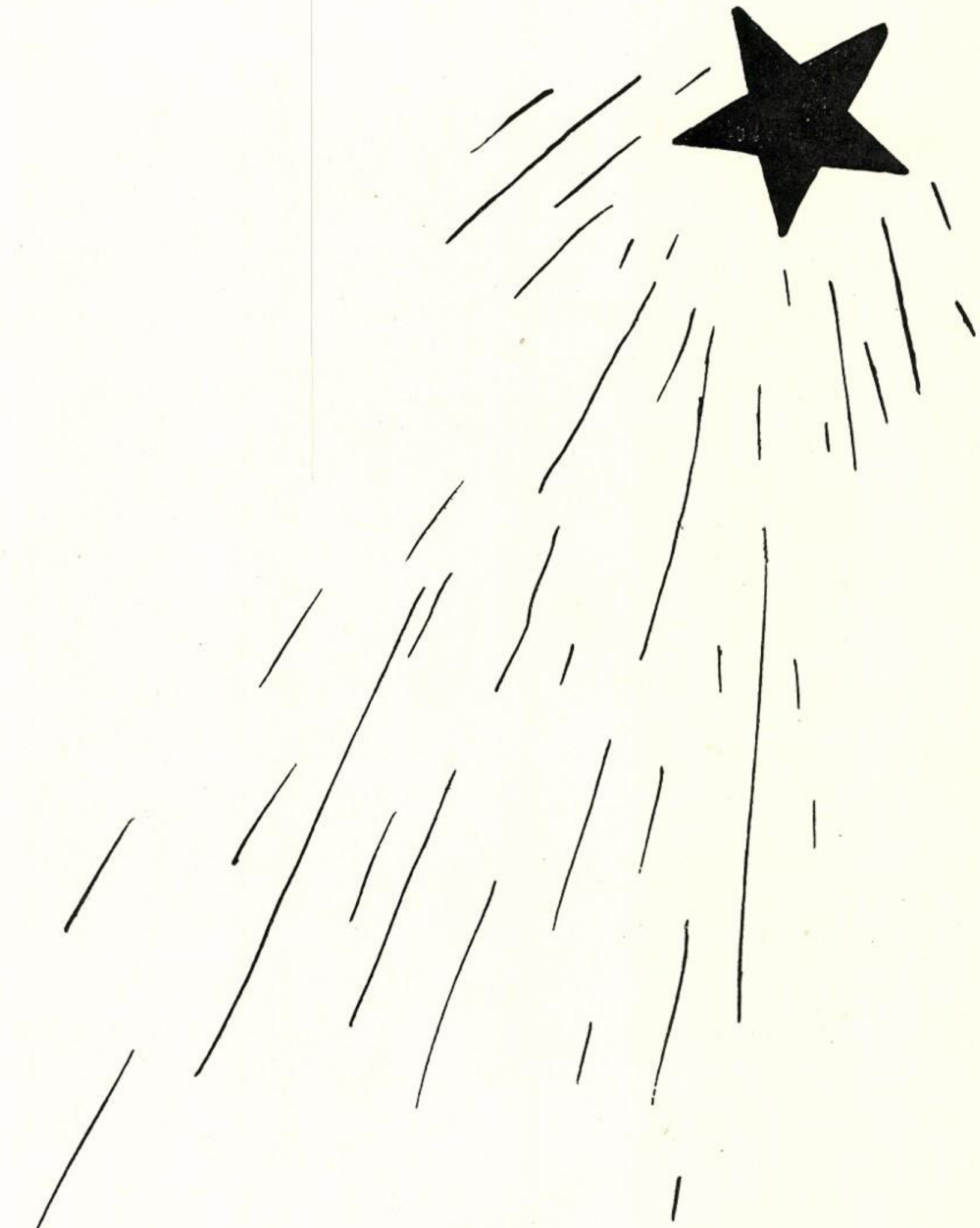

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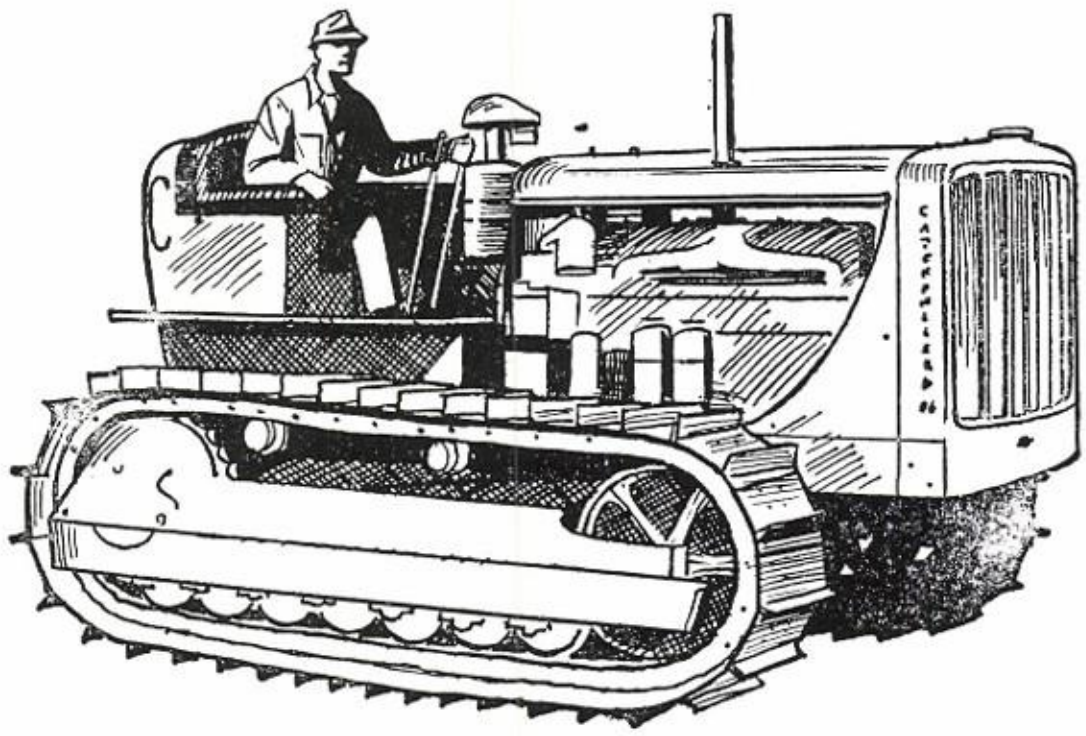

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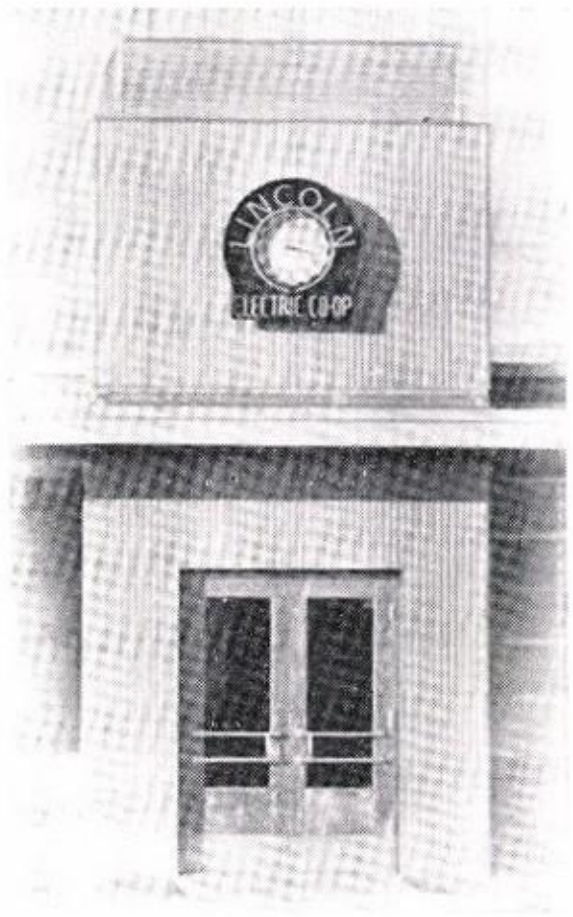


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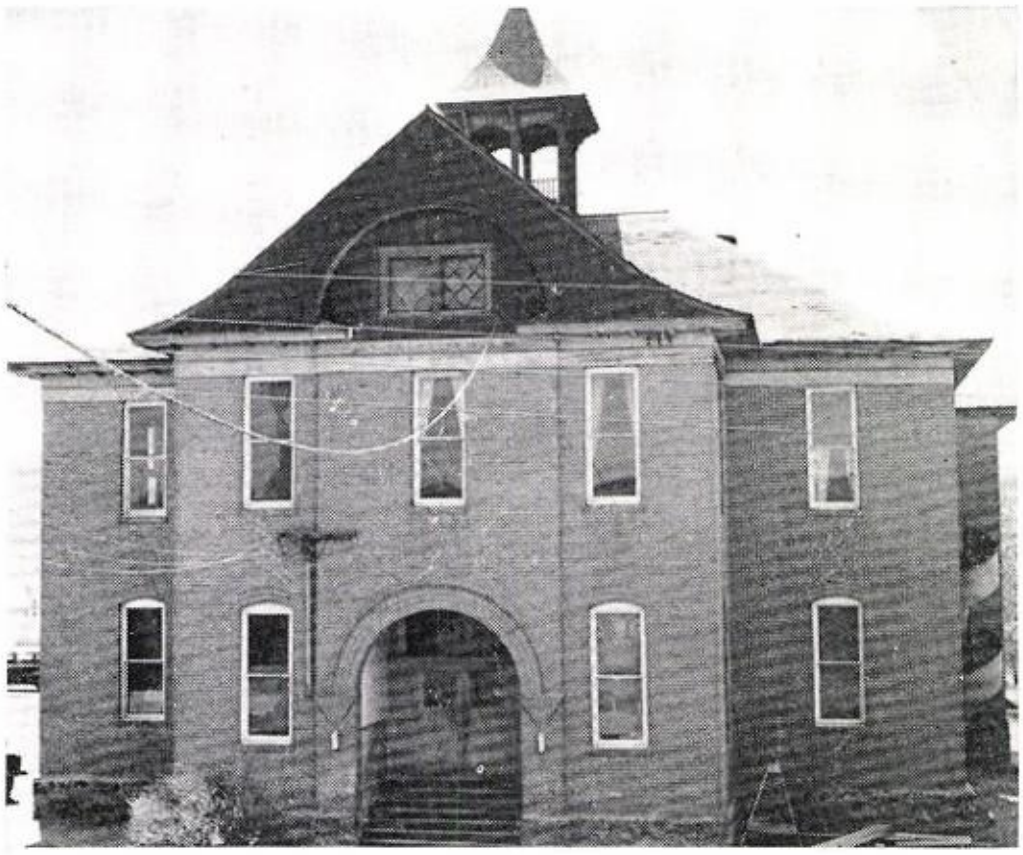

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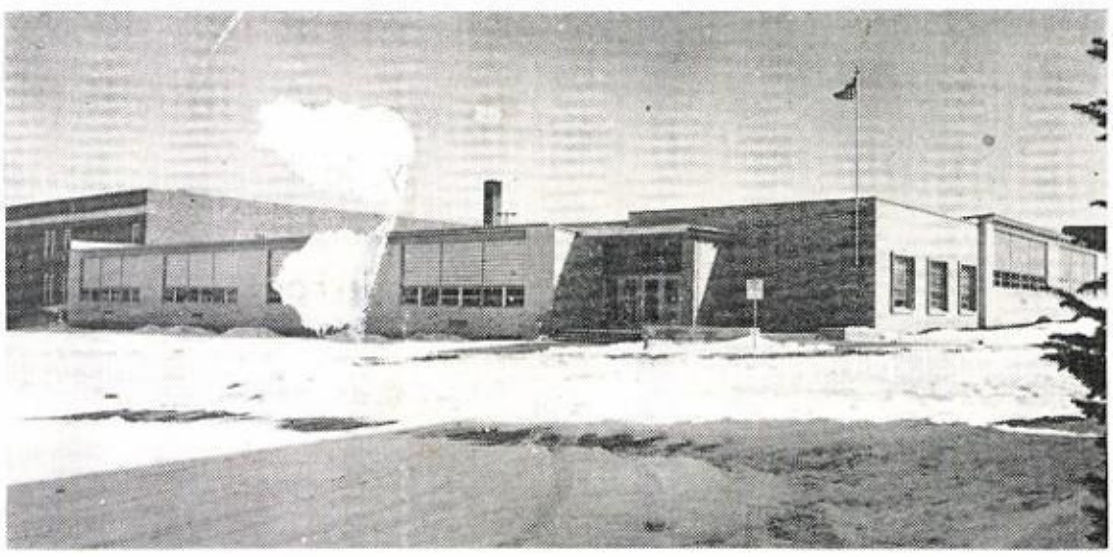

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I'll never forget apu or the good times
had together. Remember that
we also enjoyed three
and a half weeks in Maine. Take good
care of yourself this summer and have
lots of fun this summer and really
loads of fun at college.
Love,
Doreen Krupp
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Dear Marcel,
It would take me
more than this page to tell
you everything I'd like to
say but instead of making
you wait that long I'll
try to tell you by being the
kind of roommate you want.
Thanks for everything Marcel
You've been wonderful.

Love Marilyn